

# WEATHER FORECAST

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Friday:  
Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and colder at night.  
Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and colder.

# Victoria Daily Times

NO MEETINGS TO-NIGHT

All engagements are cancelled owing to prohibitory Order-in-Council against public assemblies.

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# GERMAN AGENTS APPLY TO MARSHAL FOCH

## Uprising in Germany Is Reported to Be Spreading

### Peace Will Stimulate Subscriptions for Loan, Says Chairman R. F. Taylor

#### KIEL IN HANDS OF WORKERS' AND SOLDIERS' COUNCIL AND UPRISING GROWS IN OTHER GERMAN CITIES

#### Ceremonial Entry Into Valenciennes

British Headquarters, Nov. 7.—(Canadian Press Dispatch from Reuters)—This morning, with bands playing and flags flying, the Canadians made a ceremonial entrance into Valenciennes amid enthusiastic manifestations of welcome from the inhabitants.

#### FOUR OFFICERS BEARING ENEMY'S REQUEST FOR TERMS PROBABLY NOW AT MARSHAL FOCH'S HEADQUARTERS

Personnel of German Navy Reported to Have Joined Revolution; Fighting Occurs in Hamburg; Continuous Demonstrations in Berlin

London, Nov. 7.—The entire German navy and the greater part of Schleswig are in the hands of revolutionists, according to reports reaching London from Copenhagen.

London, Nov. 7.—Kiel is reported to be governed by the Marines, Soldiers' and Workers' Council. All the workshops have been occupied by Red troops. The street car lines and railways are under the control of the Workmen's Council. There have been no disturbances.

After a conference between Secretary of State Hausman and Deputy Noske, Socialist members of the Reichstag, and the Workers' and Soldiers' Council, the following proclamation was issued:

"Comrades—For the first time political power is in the hands of the soldiers. Great work lies before us.

"But in order that its realization can take place the organization of our movement was necessary. We have formed a Council of Workmen and Soldiers and it will be responsible for the preservation of order."

The following points were passed by the Council:  
First—Secretary Hausman will take care that the demands of the Soldiers' and Workmen's Council shall be forwarded to the Reichstag.

Second—The immediate cessation of all military measures directed against the movement of the Council.

Third—The navy has been ordered to leave the harbor.

Fourth—Military prisoners to be released.

**Garrisons Desert.**  
London, Nov. 7.—A number of German garrisons on the south Baltic coast have deserted and are going to Kiel, says a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company. The red flag has been hoisted at Warnemunde, a seaport of Northern Germany and the port of Rostock on the Baltic Sea coast.

**Riots.**  
Copenhagen, Nov. 7.—Travelers arriving at Gerbers, a correspondent says, report serious riots at several places in Germany, the demonstrators demanding peace. Artillery firing was heard Wednesday in the direction of Kiel.

**Officers Arrested.**  
Amsterdam, Nov. 7.—The Kiel Zeitung in its issue of Wednesday said the streets of the naval base were being guarded by soldiers, sailors and striking workers. No disorders had occurred. Officers were being disarmed and arrested, while warrant and petty officers who did not join the movement also were being disarmed.

**At Berlin.**  
Stockholm, Nov. 7.—Continuous demonstrations are taking place in Berlin, according to The Social Democrat. Some 20,000 deserters from the army are marching through the streets of the capital.

**At Hamburg.**  
Copenhagen, Nov. 7.—A revolt has broken out in Hamburg, according to a dispatch from the correspondent of The Politiken at Vambrup. Violent artillery firing was in progress in the streets of the city when the correspondent's informant was deported, the latter declared.

**Effort by Berlin.**  
London, Nov. 7.—The German authorities have decided to suppress the revolution at Kiel, according to a dispatch from Copenhagen to the Exchange Telegraph Company. Several thousand soldiers from Fehmarn Island have been ordered to Kiel. The Workmen and Soldiers' Council has decided to resist.

**At Wilhelmshaven.**  
London, Nov. 7.—A strike of dock workers at Hamburg involving 10,000 men is reported by the Exchange Telegraph Company's correspondent at Amsterdam.

Strikes at the Imperial wharves at Cuxhaven and Wilhelmshaven are expected to occur to-day, advises from Amsterdam, says The authorities have

ordered the preventive arrest of sailors under suspicion.

**To Kiel.**  
Amsterdam, Nov. 7.—German newspapers announce that State Secretary Hausman and Gustav Noske, Socialist members of the Reichstag, have been sent to Kiel by the Government.

Hugo Haase, leader of the Socialist majority in the Reichstag, and George Ledebour, leader of the Socialist-Democrat party, also are there to complete the formation of a local committee.

**Demands Accepted.**

London, Nov. 7.—The Military Governor of Kiel, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen, has accepted the following demands of the Workers and Soldiers' Council:

The release of all military and political prisoners.

Complete freedom of speech and writing.

Released prisoners must not be punished.

Officers who acknowledge and comply with the measures of the Council shall be permitted to remain or to leave the service.

**Hoisted Red Flag.**

London, Nov. 7.—Members of the battleship Kaiser at Kiel have mutilated and hoisted the red flag. Officers attempting to defend the German flag were overpowered—two of them, including the commander were killed. A number of others were wounded, according to The Cologne Gazette.

Three companies of infantry were sent from Kiel to restore order. They immediately joined the revolution and a fourth company was disarmed. Hussars sent to Kiel from Wandsbeck were encountered outside of Kiel by sailors armed with machine guns and forced to turn back.

The Soldiers' Council has decided that all officers must remain at their present posts, but must obey the Council, which controls all food supplies. Machine guns were mounted in various parts of the city. Cuxhaven and Wilhelmshaven are quiet.

**Officers Killed.**

An Amsterdam dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company says that two battleships, the Kaiser and the Schleswig-Holstein were seized by the mutineers and that twenty officers, including two captains, were killed.

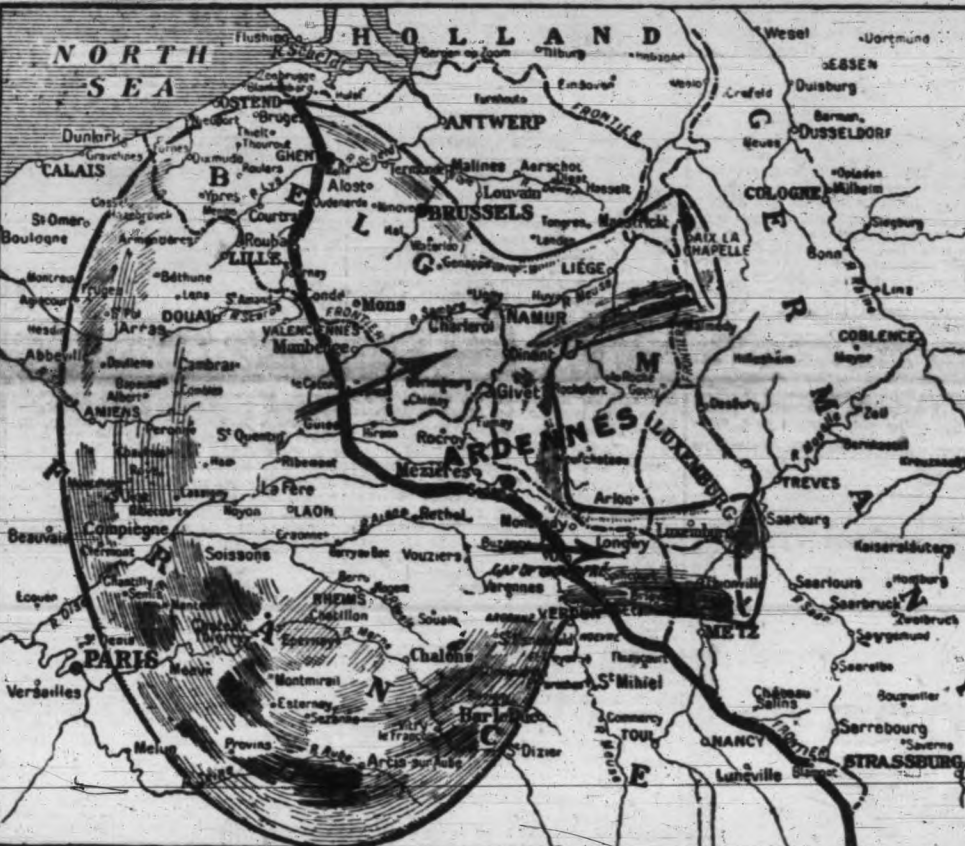
It is reported that the garrison at Kiel refused to march to the harbor and that the sailors threatened to blow up the battleships if attacked. They are defending the ships and refuse to return to their duties until a treaty of peace is signed.

Admiral Souchen, governor of the port, having asked the mutineers what they wanted, has approved of all their demands, including even their refusal to salute officers, it is said.

**Immediate Peace.**

Amsterdam, Nov. 7.—The German Social-Democrats have notified the Government through Friedrich Ebert, the vice-president of their party and president of the main committee of the Reichstag, that their representatives will resign their Ministerial posts if the war is not brought to an immediate end.

#### GREAT MENACE TO GERMAN ARMY MADE PLAIN AT A GLANCE



This diagram-map illustrates an important feature of the Hun's peril in France. As they retreat toward Germany they will be compelled to pass through two bottle-necks north and south of the great hilly region of the Ardennes. The northern one, with Aix-La-Chapelle at its mouth, lies between the Ardennes and the well-guarded frontier of Holland. The southern one, now seriously threatened by the Americans, is immediately north of Verdun and Metz.

## SPURT IN LOAN RACE YESTERDAY; MUST BE NO SLACKENING NOW

"The boys have won the war, we must supply the funds to bring them home."

That is the message which R. F. Taylor, Island Chairman of the Victory Loan, sent out this morning to Chairmen of the various districts under his control, while expressing his opinion that the latest dispatches from the Front would have, and are having, the best possible effect upon the progress of the loan.

At the same time it was announced that "Greater Victoria" yesterday once more increased her speed in the Victory race, and subscribed \$276,850, or well above the daily average required to raise the city's quota at the end of the drive.

Following are the figures for yesterday and the corresponding day last year

1918	1917
Ninth Day, Wednesday, Nov. 6.	Ninth Day, Wednesday, Nov. 21.
Canvassers.....\$166,200	Canvassers.....\$164,550
Banks (incomplete) 110,650	Banks.....30,550
\$276,850	\$197,400
Grand total to date.....\$2,295,450	Grand total to date.....\$1,770,520
Applications (Wednesday).....555	
Total applications.....5,265	Total applications.....4,462

These figures do not include the investments of the Provincial Government and the Municipalities, totalling \$946,000.

"The news will have the best possible effect upon the drive," Mr. Taylor told a Times representative this morning. "Nothing could be better for the drive than a declaration of peace at this time. The people know well that having given their men, they must put up the money to bring them home."

#### Germans Forced to Relax Their Hold on the City of Ghent

On the Battlefield in Belgium, Nov. 6.—Via London, Nov. 7.—A wireless dispatch was received to-day at the headquarters of General Beaurains from the Germans, saying that they had decided to abandon Ghent, and asking the Belgians not to fire on the suburbs of the town, where white flags were raised.

#### BAVARIA PRESSES BERLIN TO GIVE IN

Falling Armistice Bavarian Troops Would Be Ordered to Return Home

Paris, Nov. 7.—There is reason to believe, according to a Berne dispatch to The Times, that the Premier of Bavaria has sent an urgent note to the German Government to the effect that if an armistice should not be concluded without delay he would be obliged officially to order the Bavarian troops to return from the front.

This action, it is added, would be taken owing to the fact that Bavaria is menaced on her southern frontier by Allied forces and that the internal situation in Bavaria is unsatisfactory.

Dispatch Filed in Paris at 6.35 p. m. Said German Emissaries Were Expected; Opinion in Paris Is Several Days Will Pass Before Truce

Paris, Nov. 7, 6.35 p.m.—(Associated Press)—Four German officers bearing white flags; it is officially announced, probably will arrive at the headquarters of Marshal Foch to-night.

Washington, Nov. 7.—At 3.30 o'clock this afternoon it was stated officially that the United States Government had not been advised of the signing of an armistice with the Germans.

Earlier in the afternoon Secretary Lansing had authorized the statement that the German armistice delegation would not be received by General Foch until five o'clock this afternoon.

Paris, Nov. 7.—A considerable crowd gathered around the War Office here to-day awaiting news of the result of the German application, under a flag of truce, for an armistice, although it is generally believed that several days will pass before a truce can be arranged.

London, Nov. 7.—Marshal Foch, the Allied Commander-in-Chief, notified the German high command that if the German armistice delegation wished to meet him it should advance to the French lines along the Chimay, Fournies, Lacapelle and Guise roads. From the French outposts the plenipotentiaries would be conducted to the place decided upon for the interview.

The name of this place was not given in the official text of the note from Marshal Foch, which read as follows:

"To the German High Command from Marshal Foch:—If the German plenipotentiaries wish to meet Marshal Foch to ask him for an armistice they are to advance to the French outposts by the Chimay, Fournies, Lacapelle and Guise roads. Orders have been given that they are to be received and conducted to the place fixed for the interview."

**No Information.**  
Washington, Nov. 7.—Capt. Pratt, Acting Chief of Naval Operations, authorized the statement at 3.45 o'clock this afternoon that the navy had received no official information whatever of the signing of an armistice. This was in denial of persistent rumors that they had given out such information.

**At New York.**

New York, Nov. 7.—A wave of almost frantic acclaim swept New York from one end to the other to-day when unconfirmed reports were published that the Germans had signed the Allies' armistice terms. Although these reports had received no official confirmation either in London, Paris or Washington early this afternoon, they were nevertheless credited by the public here. They were distributed shortly before noon, whereupon a great celebration began which grew in volume and enthusiasm as the news spread. (Concluded on page 4.)

## ALLIED TROOPS ARE IN SEDAN AND DRIVE FORWARD ELSEWHERE

With the American Army on the Sedan Front, Nov. 7, 1.45 p.m.—American troops to-day entered that part of Sedan that lies on the west bank of the Meuse.

The bridge over the Meuse at Sedan, over which the retreating enemy fled, was destroyed and the river valley is flooded.

The principal German lateral lines of communication between the fortress of Metz and Northern France and Belgium are now either cut or unavailable for the enemy's use.

Since November 1 the Americans have taken 6,000 prisoners. They have freed in all French territory within the zone of the armistice acting west of the Meuse, up to a total of 799 square kilometers, and have liberated 2,999 civilians.

London, Nov. 7.—Sedan, famous in the Franco-Prussian War of 1870, has been entered by troops of the American First Army. To-day troops entered the section of the town on the west bank of the Meuse, the gain signifying an advance of more than thirty-four miles since the offensive began on September 26.

Meanwhile the British, French and American troops elsewhere on the front, between the Scheldt and the Meuse are pushing the Germans from the small section of France they still occupy. Important gains by the British in the north are chronicled, and by the French on the centre of the advancing Allied line, which moved forward six miles Wednesday.

Field-Marshal Haig's forces are rapidly clearing the Germans from that portion of France east and (Concluded on page 4.)



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### "FOGHORN" DESIRES TO SUE GOVERNMENT

Major Neil Macdonald Annoyed at Ottawa; Alleges False Arrest

Ottawa, Nov. 7.—Major ("Foghorn") Neil Macdonald is after the Government. Through his solicitor in Montreal he announces he has made application for a writ which would enable him to start a \$10,000 action against the Government for false arrest and slander.

The proceedings have developed from his refusal to take off his uniform though struck off the strength of the E. F. through orders in Military District No. 4, under which jurisdiction he served.

"If the flat is refused I will take the matter to the Privy Council," he said. "Foghorn" talks of running as an Independent in Glenora in the coming election.

### GERMAN FINANCIAL FABRIC TOTTERING

London, Nov. 7.—(British Wireless Service).—Germany's financial position is desperate and rapidly approaching the breaking point. After she raised her eighth war loan her national debt, it is estimated, approached \$1,000,000,000. It is assumed that since then it has reached \$1,000,000,000. On June last the German Reichstag passed a vote of credit of 15,000,000,000 marks, which it was then declared would raise Germany's war debt to 139,000,000,000 marks, or nearly \$1,000,000,000.

Assuming that the debt stands now at 142,000,000,000 marks, Germany has mortgaged therefore more than two-fifths of her national wealth, estimated at \$16,000,000,000. That this figure is approaching Germany's limitation in the war is indicated by remarks made from time to time by authorities in Germany.

Berlin, Nov. 6.—Via London, Nov. 7.—The statement of the Imperial German Bank for the week ending October 31 shows an increase of liabilities of \$1,668,000 marks and a decrease of total gold holdings of 2,550,019,000 marks.

Help to put Victoria's quota of Victory Bonds above all expectations. Help to roll up a record. Until your purse strings.

### ALLIES CONTINUED TO DRIVE FORWARD

British, French and Americans  
Last Night Reported Further Advances

London, Nov. 7.—Field-Marshal Haig reported last night:

"We progressed along the whole front to-day in spite of a heavy, continuous rain. Sharp fighting has taken place at a number of points with German rearguards, and some hundreds of prisoners have been taken by us."

"On our right our troops, pushing forward, captured Carignies and Marbaix. In the centre, driving the enemy from his hastily constructed defences on the east bank of the Sambre, we have crossed the river about Berilmont and have captured Leval and Aulnoye, where we have taken prisoners. The important railway junction of Aulnoye is in our possession."

Further north we crossed the Avenue-Bavai road east of Mormal forest and reached the railway to the south and west of Bavai, where sharp fighting is taking place within a short distance of the town."

"On the left the Canadian troops are continuing their progress east of the Sambre and the Meuse. Our armies, breaking down local resistance, made an important advance which exceeded ten kilometres at certain points, and freed numerous localities with their civilian population."

French Report.

Paris, Nov. 7.—The following official report was issued here last night:

"Our troops continue to pursue the enemy on an extended front between the Sambre and the Meuse. Our armies, breaking down local resistance, made an important advance which exceeded ten kilometres at certain points, and freed numerous localities with their civilian population."

The enemy, harassed by our advanced guards, was obliged in the course of his precipitate retreat to abandon guns and considerable material impossible to evacuate. Everywhere prisoners remained in our hands. East of the Sambre we reached the eastern outskirts of the Nouvion and Reconvall forests."

Vervins Taken.

"Further south we have taken Fontaine-les-Vervins and the town of Vervins. Our advanced elements have gone beyond the Sambre. We hold Hary and La-Croix. Further east, after having occupied Montcornet, we pushed our lines beyond Rosquet, Renneval and Dolignon."

"An Italian corps, operating in close conjunction with our troops, captured the Hurtant River, and despite resistance by the enemy, stormed Rossy-sur-Serre."

"On the front north of the Aisne our troops and more than twelve kilometres north of Chaumont-Porcien on the general line of Hardoy, the southern outskirts of Chaumont-Porcien, Doumely, Begny, Herby and the railroad between Rethel and Liart. The town of Rethel fell into our possession."

Batteries Taken.

"Pushing further north with admirable spirit, our troops reached at 4 o'clock in the afternoon the village of Dyonne, six kilometres north of Rethel. In this region our cavalry

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ally captured a battery of 77s and one of 105s, taking prisoner three officers and the gunners and capturing the teams."

To the right we progressed in the general line of Vauzelles, Auboncourt, Sorcy, Banthemont, Ecorail, six kilometres north of Attigny, Guincourt, Jonval and Chagny-les-Amont. In the region west of the Bar River, after having taken Vendresse and the broken country to the north, we carried our lines as far as Omicourt, which is ours."

American Front.

With the American Army on the Sedan front, Nov. 6.—Via London, Nov. 7.—Its footing well established east of the Meuse, the American army has forced its way along both banks of the river until to-night it is within six miles of Sedan."

Notwithstanding the fact that the Germans have put in fresh divisions, the American and French troops continue their progress."

Murvaux, north of the Freya line and east of Dun, was reached this afternoon, and operations about the heights to the east of Sedan are well under way."

The territory regained about Duns-sur-Meuse includes Lion-devant-Dun, Fontaines, Hill 234, and up to the edge of Cote St. Germain."

On the west of the river the army moved to the outskirts of Mouson. Further west it fought its way along a four-mile front to Gogneux Wood. Pourron and Mont-de-Brune were among the villages captured. Rancourt was reached at 2.30 a.m. on Nov. 7."

First Set.

Reports from the centre of the American line are to the effect that the town of Mouson is on fire, and that part of Sedan is burning."

The division fighting in the centre captured to-day twenty-three 77s, 200 machine guns, fifteen trench mortars, 300,000 rounds of ammunition, and much other material."

As an indication of the plight of the retreating Germans, it is known that on the entire Western front the enemy has in reserve only one division which has been out of the battle one month, and few German divisions have been resting two weeks. Two of the divisions are east of the Meuse."

Forest Cleared Out.

With the Allied Armies in France and Belgium, Nov. 6, via London, Nov. 7.—(Reuters).—Mormal Forest has been thoroughly cleaned out by British troops, and some few Germans are still in Berilmont, where they are in danger of being cut off. British forces are east of Porquoy and are advancing toward Pont-sur-Sambre. New Zealand troops are moving along the road to Bavai and are near Hargnies."

Up till last evening the Third British Army had counted 123 German officers and 5,877 men taken prisoner since Monday morning. Since that time prisoners have been coming back through the lines. The Fourth Army had taken 4,500 by last night, while the First Army had captured several thousand."

German Barbarities.

Washington, Nov. 7.—The German forces in their retreat from Belgium are bombarding defenceless towns, using especially gas shells, and devastating the countryside, according to eye-witnesses' accounts published by the Belgian Legation here."

"The Belgian Government has been informed," says the statement, "by a reliable eyewitness that at the very moment the German Government has announced its protest against inhuman acts, and while Germany offers to stop aerial bombardments, the Germans have bombed villages and towns which were obliged to abandon during their retreat. They have used especially gas shells."

"Indescribably heartrending scenes have occurred, the unfortunate population having no gas masks."

HALIFAX REOPENS.

Halifax, Nov. 7.—The schools, theatres and churches here reopened yesterday.

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### CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Nov. 7.—The following casualties have been announced:

Infantry.

Killed in action—Pte. W. H. Munby, Cordova, Alaska; Pte. J. W. McMullen, Vancouver.

Died of wounds—Pte. M. B. Andrews, Fort George.

Died—Pte. W. J. Patterson, Victoria.

Wounded and missing—Pte. A. I. Christopher, Whinnock, B. C.; Pte. L. B. Broadhead, Vancouver.

Cancel report missing—Corpl. J. A. Graham, Victoria.

Ill—Pte. H. P. Lett, Malpele, B. C.; Pte. H. Williamson, Vancouver; Lieut. J. H. Frank, Toronto; Pte. S. McKenzie, Alberni; Pte. A. C. Hutton, Princeton, B. C.; Pte. J. Raven, Kootenay; Pte. W. A. Johnston, Quesnel; Pte. F. W. R. Munger, Duck Range, B. C.; Pte. H. Warren, Esquimalt; Pte. R. L. Carleton, Victoria; Lieut. A. F. Wallace, Vancouver; Lieut. W. J. Bachelor, Montreal; Lieut. J. E. Hodgson, Toronto.

Wounded—Lieut. George McCreery, Granbrook, Captain A. Macdonald, Mountain, N. S.

Ill—Lieut. G. G. Bricker, Waterloo, Ont.

Medical Services.

Died of wounds—Captain N. H. Little, Trenton, Ont.

Ill—Nursing Sister J. F. Middleton, Vancouver; Nursing Sister Lena Moore, Westmount, Que.; Captain C. H. Smith, Montreal.

Services.

Died—Lieut. C. V. Lawrence, Ottawa.

Ill—Lieut. J. E. Crowe, Toronto.

Infantry.

Killed in action—Pte. P. J. Doyle, Montreal; Pte. C. J. Caldwell, U.S.A.; Pte. W. Carter, U.S.A.; Pte. J. Capone, Montreal, Ont.; Pte. C. A. Mitchell, Montreal; Sergt. L. R. Winchester, Toronto; Pte. J. Murphy, U.S.A.; Pte. H. Fouts, Fouts's Cove, Nfld.; Pte. A. C. Fall, Weston, Ont.; Pte. H. W. Evans, Toronto; Pte. W. S. Gibbs, Port Hope, Ont.; Pte. A. Swain, England; Pte. W. J. Storey, England; Pte. E. J. Burton-shaw, Strathroy, Ont.; Pte. H. Marshall, Southampton, Ont.; Pte. H. McPhee, Montreal; Pte. R. McLinden, Windsor, Ont.; Pte. S. G. Swain, Grosvenor, N.S.; Pte. E. Naden, St. Dorothee, P.Q.; Pte. F. Milhench, Scotland; Pte. J. C. Crawford, Toronto; Pte. W. E. Gilbert, Hamilton, Ont.

Died of wounds—Pte. G. Charrand, Chichester, P.Q.; Pte. D. Swindley, St. Catharines, Ont.; Pte. L. Cole, Barrie, Ont.; Pte. A. Ricard, Huntingdon, P.Q.; Pte. F. C. Hammett, U.S.A.

Wounded—Pte. E. Desjardins, Montreal; Pte. A. Dubé, Edmundston, N.B.; Pte. W. E. Doupée, Stratton, Ont.; Pte. W. Douglas, U.S.A.; Corpl. J. J. Dore, Toronto; Pte. N. Radford, Ingersoll, Ont.; Pte. F. W. Ratz, Mitchell, Ont.; Pte. D. E. R. Rees, U.S.A.; Pte. C. M. Yarrow, Toronto; Pte. H. Wood, Toronto; Pte. C. Brown, Outlook, Sask.; Pte. G. W. Burch, Toronto; Pte. E. G. Wells, U.S.A.

Artillery.

Wounded—Corpl. J. F. Farr, Toronto; Corpl. S. J. Pace, Cobourg, Ont.; Corpl. F. Smith, England; Corpl. T. Roberts, Toronto; Corpl. C. S. Moulds, Ontario; Corpl. M. Melville, Regina, Sask.; Corpl. C. E. Battrick, England; Corpl. W. Chamberlain, St. Catharines, Ont.; Corpl. W. S. Jack, Scotland; Corpl. S. Thum, Merfield, Toronto; Corpl. F. T. Kelly, Kentville, N.S.; Corpl. G. A. Wiley, St. John, N.B.; Acting Corpl. W. W. Currie, Port Hope, Ont.; Corpl. W. White, Montreal; Corpl. E. J. Milard, Montreal; Corpl. E. Porter, Regina, Sask.; Lance-Corpl. P. Hamier, Port Daniel, P.Q.; Corpl. S. W. Leat, Mount Dennis, Ont.; Corpl. H. Russell, Halifax, N.S.; Corpl. G. Ball, Perth, Ont.; Corpl. P. T. Attwell, England; Corpl. W. A. Hughes, St. John, N.B.; Corpl. D. L. Southey, N.S.; Corpl. T. H. Steele, Birch Cove, Sask.; Corpl. A. W. Olsen, Toronto; Corpl. W. Chesley, Middleton, N.S.; Corpl. J. T. Whitehouse, Winnipeg, Man.; Corpl. J. Waugh, Scotland; Corpl. S. Drake, M.M., Halifax, N.S.; Corpl. Q. M. S. A. F. Addison, Longueville, P.Q.; Corpl. H. H. Hamilton, Hamilton, Ont.; Corpl. W. Smith, England.

Gasped—Corpl. T. W. Long, England; Corpl. T. H. Young, Owen Sound, Ont.; Corpl. C. Hartley, Eukhorn, Man.; Corpl. A. E. Wildman, Winnipeg; Corpl. E. W. MacRae, Sussex, N.B.; Corpl. C. G. Jewett, Fredericton, N.B.; Corpl. G. H. Stanley, N.B.

Mounted Rifles.

Killed in action—Pte. D. L. McPhee, Toronto; Pte. A. E. Roberts, Jamaica, B.W.I.

Died of wounds—Pte. S. P. Sorenson, Denmark; Pte. A. Benjamin, England; Pte. H. Lawson, Hanley, Sask.

Wounded—C. Sergt-Major J. MacDonald, Morewood, Ont.; Pte. H. C. Carle, Keeley Spring, Sask.; Pte. H. G. Silver, Kennedy, Sask.; Sergt. W. R. Caruthers, Ireland; Pte. S. Lafontaine, Burbridge Station, P.Q.; Pte. T. McCarthy, Montreal; Pte. M. J. Foster, Sherbrooke, P.Q.; Pte. A. D. Hart, Montreal; Pte. H. C. Goddard, U.S.A.; Pte. J. M. Macdonald, Pte. F. J. Marchand, U.S.A.; Sergt. D. H. Currie, Irma, Alta.

Machine Gun.

Killed in action—Pte. W. Adamson, Denholm, Sask.; Pte. W. Tennant, Scotland; Pte. J. Higgins, Ireland.

Wounded—Pte. L. A. Markle, Hamilton, Ont.; Pte. C. B. McLachlan, Stockton, Man.; Pte. J. E. Mellish, Summerville, P.E.I.; Pte. C. W. Miller, U.S.A.; Pte. O. C. Briaby, U.S.A.; Pte. D. A. Rupert, Canada, Ont.; Pte. L. Clark, Orillia, Ont.; Corpl. H. W. Darling, Beaumville, Ont.; Corpl. J. L. King, Stratford, Ont.; Pte. H. H. Anderson, Ottawa.

Gasped—Sergt. C. D. Hart, Scotland; Pte. A. Howes, Thompsonville, Ont.

Railway Troops.

Killed in action—Pte. J. H. Jarvis, England.

Died of wounds—Pte. L. Butcher, England; Pte. D. C. Wilson, Halifax, N.S.

Medical Services.

Died of wounds—Pte. A. C. Brewer, Woodstock, N.B.

Died—Q. M. S. R. Richards, England; Corpl. F. Fleher, Montreal.

Wounded—Pte. W. Hannah, Scotland; Pte. A. Francis, Scotland; Pte. A. Poulton, England.

Gasped—Pte. W. H. Robertson, Toronto.

Services.

Died—Pte. T. E. Jones, England; Sergt. W. B. Scott, Fairville, N.B.

Wounded—Pte. N. E. Anderson, Sifton, Sask.; Acting Sergt. T. Matthews, Toronto; Pte. W. J. Murphy, Marmora, Ont.; Pte. H. L. C. Shover, Montreal.

Lieut. McLeod, V.C., Dies.

Winnipeg, Nov. 7.—Lieut. Allan McLeod, V. C., Stonewall, Man., died at a hospital here last night of pneumonia following influenza.



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Masses of Austrians in Trentino Are In Great Confusion

With the Italian Army at Trent, Nov. 6.—Via London, Nov. 7.—(Associated Press).—Amid the rejoicings of this redeemed city scenes of destruction and starvation are common as one passes over the roads over which the Italian troops are trying to pass the thousands of Austrian prisoners who were cut off by the Italians southwest of Bolzano. Every road leading to this city is crowded with men and on every hand there are evidences of collapse of one of Europe's mightiest armies.

Great masses of men wait for long hours, then to advance only a few feet or a few hundred yards, and to halt anew on a road littered with carcasses of horses and with cannon, pieces of shields, pistols, rifles, broken down auto trucks and machine guns. There is no cheering among these men. There are even moments of profound quiet broken by snatches of song.

Many Austrians are dying from sheer fatigue and starvation and not wounds. The Italians are doing all they can to hurry up food supplies. This is difficult, and in the meantime dead horses are eaten, the flesh being cooked at roadside fires.

Large bodies of Austrians are helpless. The correspondent passed between Rovereto and Trent, a distance of sixteen miles, an unending column

of men marching none knew whither.

Want Food.

They asked orders from an officer who was with the correspondent. When asked if they knew about armistice they said: "We want food. Food is the only thing we are interested in. We are indifferent to war and peace and death—everything but food."

It is estimated that nine Austrian divisions were taken with their staffs. Thirty-nine divisions were partly disorganized, and fifteen, although in bad condition, are retreating from the advancing Italians. These troops, while equipped for their retreat, are without orders and go travelling here and there like droves of sheep. It is a common thing to see an entire brigade without officers, the latter having been ordered to go separately to the concentration camps.

The correspondent saw at Pergine the General of the Sixth Austrian Division driving along in his own car. He said he was going home, having been given special permission. In the meantime the heavy troops have been abandoned.

Returning to the lower levels of the mountains by way of the Asiago Plateau, the correspondent saw further evidences of the devastation of war. There is not a house left standing in the town of Asiago. There also is much suffering among the people throughout the mountains, who are foodless and have been removed from their possessions.

By a miracle the rigorous Alpine winter has not yet set in and these people say: "The ravages are necessary. They remain glorious memories of our salvation."

The problem of feeding the multitude of prisoners is grave, but the Italians are making a superhuman effort. They also are treating the prisoners as well as possible. It is common to see hardy Italian troops generously toss their own bread rations to the Austrians, saying laughingly: "To-morrow is another day. We will eat then."

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### VON BUELOW TRIES TO SAVE WILHELM'S THRONE FOR HIM

Amsterdam, Nov. 6.—Via London, Nov. 7.—The semi-official Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, of Berlin, publishes an article written by Prince von Buelow, the former German Imperial Chancellor, in which he pleads for the retention of Kaiser Wilhelm. The Prince says he considers the Kaiser's advocacy of the new order of things in Germany is sincere.

### U BOAT FIRED ON GREEK SAILORS TRYING TO LEAVE VESSEL

Athens, Nov. 7.—A German submarine, after having torpedoed a Greek sailing ship, is said to have fired on the crew when the men tried to escape from the sinking vessel, according to an official telegram received from Crete. The lifeboat has been examined and found to be shattered by shells from the submarine's guns. This incident is interesting in view of the German denial of such actions.

### PROSPECT OF PEACE CONFERENCE PUTS OFF ELECTION IN BRITAIN

London, Nov. 7.—According to reports, the general election in Great Britain, which Rt. Hon. Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, was expected to announce to-day for December 7, will be postponed because the Government cannot have an election and the peace conference on its hands at the same time.

### LORD NORTHCLIFFE'S STATEMENT ON PEACE EXERCISES GERMAN

Copenhagen, Nov. 7.—The German press is greatly exercised over the peace terms recently proposed by Viscount Northcliffe. Both The North German Gazette and The Berliner Tageblatt ask whether the Governments associated with the United States accept President Wilson's peace programme, with which they declare, Viscount Northcliffe's proposals do not correspond.

### SHIPYARDS FAR OUTSTRIP LOSSES, SAYS BRITISH ADMIRALTY

London, Nov. 7.—The Admiralty announces that the output of world tonnage in the last quarter exceeded the losses from all causes by nearly half a million gross tons. The United Kingdom built new ships to the amount of 411,595 tons; the other Allies and neutrals, 972,735 tons. The tonnage of merchant vessels completed in the United Kingdom and entered into service in October was 135,169.

### DIAZ PROMOTED BY KING VICTOR TO FULL RANK OF GENERAL

Rome, Nov. 7.—King Victor Emmanuel has promoted Lieut-General Armando Diaz to the full rank of general, and Vice-Admiral Paolo Thaon di Revel, former Chief of the Naval Staff of Italy, to the rank of Admiral.

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### HEAD OF CHEMICAL BRANCH OF BRITISH ARMY SUGGUMBS

London, Nov. 7.—Col. Harrison, Controller of the entire Department of Chemical Warfare, died to-day following an attack of pneumonia.

He joined the army as a private in May, 1915, and immediately became connected with the chemistry research bureau. He developed all the protective apparatus against gas attacks, and the whole organization has lately been in his hands. In this work he displayed brilliant resourcefulness.

### DISPOSITION OF FORMER COLONIES OF GERMANY

New York, Nov. 7.—Hope that the destiny of the former German colonies, Palestine and Mesopotamia should not be given to Great Britain by right of conquest, but should be determined by the United States, the Allies and the neutrals, was expressed here last night in an address by Rt. Rev. Dr. Charles Gore, Lord Bishop of Oxford, on his return from an 11,500-mile speaking tour through the United States on behalf of the National Committee on the Moral Aspects of the War. "Great Britain has said that she desired no acquisitions of territory and she must not be forced to incur the obloquy of appearing to be false to her declarations," he said.

### A WINNIPEG DEATH.

Winnipeg, Nov. 7.—Mrs. G. R. Crow, wife of G. R. Crow, of the British Empire Grain Company, died suddenly at her home here last night. Mrs. Crow was a former president of the Women's Canadian Club. Mrs. John Norris, of Vancouver, is a sister.

### HOW LONDON AND PARIS RECEIVED NEWS

People Learned Quietly Germans Had Sent Armistice Delegation

London, Nov. 7.—The report that German delegates had started from Berlin to meet Marshal Foch were considered here as an assurance that the fighting would be over in a few days. This caused satisfaction everywhere, but there was no celebrating and London last night was as quiet and dark as it had been at any time during the past four years.

The terms of President Wilson's note to Germany, dealing with the decision of the seas and compensation to the Allies were endorsed by all the newspapers here. It was believed that Germany knew from the terms of the Austrian armistice the sort of peace she had to expect and that her military and political situations gave her no alternative but to submit.

News came from the front that the hard-pressed German armies had no fresh divisions left to throw into the battle and that they had no great reserves of ammunition. The German people were demanding peace at any price to save whatever they might from the wreckage. A few junker newspapers still were crying for war to the last ditch, but the Socialists seemed to have turned the scales decisively in the other direction. This was the situation last night.

From the British viewpoint the greatest humiliation Germany will suffer will be in having her fleet surrendered or pass out of the war without one great fight to the death. But news from Kiel last night made it doubtful whether the sailors would go into battle even if the officers should decide to fight.

### Freedom of Speech.

Even the best-informed men here were unable last night to arrive at a clear judgment from the many conflicting reports as to the magnitude of the revolt against war among the German people, or how strong was the demand for the Kaiser's abdication. One fact was plain—there never was such freedom of speech in Germany as now.

Diplomats and soldiers in Germany are each trying to place the blame for their country's downfall on the other. Placards have blossomed out in Berlin saying that the Kaiser and the Crown-Prince must go. Correspondents are permitted to telegraph from Berlin that the vacillating character of the Kaiser is responsible for most of the nation's misfortunes.

Discussion here centres about the peace conference, where it will be held and what programme will be followed. One of its most urgent problems will be to arrange food supplies for starving Europe. It is assumed that even the people of the Central Powers will be cared for, although the Allies can not be expected to suffer great privations for the sake of their enemies. Demobilization of armies and the repatriation of soldiers and prisoners are other great problems.

### At Paris.

Paris, Nov. 7.—News that a German white flag party had left for the front made a deep impression in France, where the prompt action of the German Government took the public by surprise. The lingering doubts as to Germany's sincerity in asking for the Allies' terms for an armistice still held in certain quarters, seem to be removed. On the contrary, the impression grew that Germany was really worse off than was generally believed.

In the meantime the Allied troops were giving the enfeebled enemy forces no rest. Deserted by their last remaining ally, the weather—the rain fell in sheets yesterday—the retreat of the Germans verged perilously near a rout. British troops got within a few miles of Maubeuge, the fall of which is imminent. The French First Army converged on Hirson.

The enemy was falling back on the Meuse before the French Fourth and Fifth Armies, which were driving in his rear-guard and capturing many machine guns.

### AUSTRIAN EMPRESS MAY ENTER BOHEMIA AS PRIVATE INDIVIDUAL

Zurich, Nov. 7.—Empress Zita, of Austria, asked permission of the Prague Government to go with her children to Brandeis Castle, on the Elbe, in Bohemia, according to The Prague Tageblatt.

The Government in its reply consented to the entry of the Empress into Bohemia as a private individual.

### LOAN IN SASKATCHEWAN.

Regina, Nov. 7.—All divisions of the Victory Loan organization in Saskatchewan reported last night and the province had \$4,924,950 to its credit. The Regina division was leading, with Saskatchewan next. Nearly a dozen centres are on the eve of reaching the honor class.



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### ALLIES' CONVOY SYSTEM HAS BEEN A GREAT SUCCESS

London, Nov. 7.—(British Wireless Service).—Since the convoy system was successfully adopted some 26,000,000 tons of food and 25,000,000 tons of munitions have been brought in convoy to this country, and the food ships lost brought down from ten per cent. to one per cent.

Convoys between July 25, 1917, and October 19, 1918, were 1,937 in number, containing 14,985 ships, of which only 118 were lost. The gross tonnage was 77,057,231. The tonnage lost was 554,238. One convoy of United States troopships, British troopships brought 30,000 men.

The grand total of merchant ships conveyed was 85,772, and the losses were only 433.

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### GERMANS WILL GET OUT OF ROUMANIA

Amsterdam, Nov. 6.—(Via London, Nov. 7).—German newspapers received here say that negotiations are pending for the withdrawal of Field-Marshal Mackensen's German army from Roumania.

### ACCIDENTALLY KILLED.

Edmonton, Nov. 7.—Willie Strome, Stephen, of Herbertziegler, of the Highlands district, was accidentally killed while playing with a loaded shotgun at his home to-day.

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### TWO SMALL BRITISH NAVAL CRAFT SUNK

London, Nov. 7.—A British patrol boat was sunk Monday in a collision, according to an Admiralty statement. One man was drowned.

On Tuesday a British auxiliary was sunk in a collision. There were no casualties.

### INFLUENZA AT EDMONTON.

Edmonton, Nov. 7.—There were fourteen deaths from influenza or its effects in Edmonton yesterday. A falling off was noted in the new cases reported.

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## MUST NOT SLACKEN.

The report this morning that Germany had capitulated was premature. The German envoys had not reached the Allies' headquarters at that time, the meeting being arranged for to-night, which means this afternoon Victoria time. It is unlikely, however, that the enemy, with his home front in an extremely dangerous state and his armies retreating in growing confusion, will resist the terms imposed by the Allies, and it is probable that within a day or two at the most an armistice will be concluded. But cheering though these developments are they must not be allowed to impair the success of the Victory Loan.

It may take months for the peace conference to be gathered together and to arrive at a treaty which will be signed by all parties. In that interval there must be no relaxation of our defenses. Our armies must remain on the ground prepared for any contingency. Our war effort must be continued in every respect with the sole and happy exception that there will be no bloodshed. And even if it were possible to draw up a peace treaty and have it accepted immediately our country would still require that the Victory Loan be fully subscribed and our troops will have to be maintained until they are completely demobilized, a long, tedious and expensive operation. We shall still have to furnish food and supplies to Europe and we shall have to supply Europe with the credits with which to purchase these supplies and food.

And there is a further consideration. To the investor the prospect of an immediate peace opens up a new vista. The outbreak of peace will be no less disturbing on certain conditions than was the outbreak of war. In the first place, it may be predicted with more or less certainty that never again in the lifetime of the present generation will the Government of Canada offer to pay the investor 5½ per cent. on his money. It is only a few years ago that small Canadian cities were able to sell their bonds on a 3½ per cent. basis.

To the individual, too, the necessity of having a nest egg is more urgent with the imminence of peace than it has been for five years. This applies to all classes. No one can predict what the future holds. A nest egg invested in Victory Bonds is good insurance for the days to come. But over and above all these considerations is the fact that the war situation to-day makes it practically certain that this is the last big thing the people of Canada will have a chance to do for the gallant army overseas, the army which broke the Amiens front, the army which first smashed the Hindenburg Line and captured Cambrai, Denain and Valenciennes.

Victoria is well on the road to complete success in her Victory Loan campaign even though there has been a slackening of the total subscribed in the district during the last two days. She cannot afford to fail now; she simply must wind up her part of the war by breaking the record. Let Victoria celebrate victory by winning an Honor Flag to show her gallant sons that she stood by them to the end.

## A VAST PROBLEM.

An armistice is purely a military problem and therefore its processes in this case are comparatively simple. The enemy is informed of the conditions upon which he can obtain a cessation of hostilities and must either accept them outright or leave them. As in the case of Bulgaria, Turkey and Austria-Hungary they will deal with military guarantees only, and these will be so sweeping as to ensure the early termination of fighting.

But the settlement of the terms of peace is an infinitely bigger problem. These must ensure a new world foundation; they must provide civilization with a new bottom. They will involve the creation of new nations, the demarcation of new boundary lines on the basis of justice and right.

A little over a century ago the Allies, victorious over Napoleon, met in Congress at Vienna. There, instead of giving civilization a new foundation, they patched up the old one; instead of rebuilding the world on a sound basis they began to re-establish it on an unsound one. They annihilated Poland and carved up the rest of Europe very much as Napoleon carved it up, and thus sowed the seeds of other wars.

It is with the Congress of Vienna in their minds that the representatives of the Allies will enter the peace room some time hence. There are differences between them, although of course they are unanimous on the armistice terms. These differences will be adjusted. A vast responsibility affecting the whole future course of civilization will rest upon them. What they will do will determine the order and measure of world reconstruction. It will require months to finish their task

if it is to be finished as thoroughly and effectively as the Allies finished the schemes of the Hun for world domination.

## IN SEDAN.

The American army has entered the section of Sedan west of the Meuse. The French are within five miles of Mezieres a few miles farther west. Their artillery is bombarding Hirson still more to the west, while the British guns are hurling shells into the forest of Maubeuge. Thus, the great lateral railroad along the Franco-Belgian frontier has been rendered useless at several points and the retreat of a large part of the German armies into Luxemburg has been cut off. Generals Gouraud and Liggett have virtually closed the bottle-neck through which the Crown Prince's armies invaded France. Now, only the avenue through Belgium and past Liege remains open to at least six German armies. It is not enough. The Huns lingered too long. Belgium and northern France have become the death-trap of a big part of their forces, just as Macedonia was the death-trap of Bulgaria and Venetia that of Austria-Hungary.

This is the situation which met the German envoys on their way to ask an armistice from Foch. Just where the meeting-place is the dispatches do not say, but it may be one of the towns so pitilessly devastated by the Huns in the full flush of their murderous career. The ruins of Rheims Cathedral would be suggestive. Versailles, though unscathed by the enemy, would be even more so, for the last-time Prussian war conferees foregathered at the historic Parisian suburb they were celebrating something which took place at Sedan, something which they interpreted as a symbol of conquest over their Gallic neighbor, but which turned out to be actually the new birth of the glorious France which has done so much to bring vile Prussianism to its knees in this war and to make the world safe for democracy. But wherever the meeting-place may be, whether amid the ruins of Rheims, or Noyon, or St. Quentin or at Versailles, or even at Paris, which the enemy has been so anxious to visit up to this time, there is a striking reversal of history in the fact that the day on which the envoys of Germany are seeking an armistice, the terms of which must involve the unconditional surrender of their country, the flag of the Allies flies triumphantly over a part of Sedan.

## WHAT THEY FEAR.

Bad as Germany's military situation is, her internal situation is worse. There a revolution is starting her "military masters and monarchical despots" in the face. According to the *Cologne Gazette*, which certainly must know the facts, the sailors at Kiel have revolted and taken possession of two dreadnoughts after killing their captains and some of their officers. Infantry sent to suppress the revolutionists joined with them and the Governor of the port has acceded to their demands. Dispatches received in London by way of Copenhagen declare that the entire German navy is in the hands of the revolutionists and that a great part of Schleswig—suggestively enough—is in revolt. Street fighting is reported to be in progress in Hamburg.

Some of these reports may be exaggerated, but undoubtedly there has been a serious revolt at Kiel. Undoubtedly, too, the hearts of the German leaders are now in their boots. Prince Max has issued a frantic appeal to the people to avoid disturbances because, he says, they might interfere with the armistice negotiations—a bluff which is not likely to allay the growing storm.

The Hohenzollerns and their satellites are haunted by the fate of Austria-Hungary, now fallen to pieces, and the more ghastly developments in Russia they did so much to promote. They fear the recoil of the boomerang they hurled to Petrograd and Moscow in the winter of 1916. The poison with which they have inoculated Russia and with which they tried to inoculate Italy, France, in fact, all the Allies, has been blown back to their own people.

Germany has given many exhibitions of monstrous, blind stupidity in the present war, as well as before it, but when she began to deal in revolutions she excelled herself. Her own soil, the soil of military despotism of many years, was as much adapted to the growth of this weed as that of Russia, and the soil of Austria-Hungary was worse.

The home front of a military autocracy is always its weakest front. Had Germany and Austria been democracies as France, the British Empire, Italy and the United States are, a military defeat would have united their peoples more strongly behind their rulers and Governments. It would have been unnecessary to dope the people with lies and bribes, thereby creating such a state of mind that when the dope gave out they were plunged into disunion and despair.

Germany's set-back up to last month was no worse than the set-backs of the British, French and Italian armies this year and last fall, yet as soon as it occurred she and Austria at once began to whine for peace, while, on the other hand, the reverses of their foes only steeled their peoples to greater efforts and sacrifices.

Forty years of thorough saturation with the devilish doctrine of Prussianism debauched the mind of Germany and deprived her of her soul. It robbed her people of moral courage such as has inspired the Allies to fight the hardest when the situation seemed darkest. Germany seeks peace now, not because she is conscious of wrong-doing or because her conscience is troubling her, but because she fears the consequences of defeat—her rulers because they fear revolution; her people because they fear their country will be overrun as Belgium, France, Serbia, Montenegro, Roumania and Poland were overrun, achievements which were celebrated as enthusiastically by the great German centres, according to Dr. Mühlton, formerly a Krupp director, as were the sinking of the Lusitania and the murder of little children in London.

Germany's day of reckoning with the Allies is now here. She has yet to reckon with herself; to dig her soul out of the gutter into which she permitted William Hohenzollern and his coarse gang of outlaws to cast it in scorn.

ALLIED TROOPS ARE  
IN SEDAN AND DRIVE  
FORWARD ELSEWHERE

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southeast of Valenciennes. The British have smashed farther through the enemy lines defending Mons and Maubeuge and are outflanking the German positions in Belgium, where the German commander at Ghent is evacuating the city. East and southeast of the Mormal Forest the British also have made great strides toward the Franco-Belgian border.

The French armies from north of the Oise, to southeast of Mezieres, are maintaining contact with the retreating enemy all along the front. The last natural obstacles west of the Belgian frontier have virtually all been cleared and the terrain before the French is admirable for maneuvering. On the extreme right where the French line joins the American line, French cavalrymen are riding toward the Meuse between Mezieres and Sedan.

## British Report.

London, Nov. 7.—British forces are continuing their progress along the Franco-Belgian frontier. North-east of Valenciennes, according to Field-Marshal Haig's report to-day, they have reached the outskirts of Quievrain and Crespin, close to the Belgian border.

Further south the town of Angre has been taken. South of the Mormal Forest the British have captured Monceau, St. Vaast and Dompiere, three miles northwest of the railway junction at Avesnes.

The text of the statement reads: "Our progress on the battlefield continues to be rapid. We have taken Dompiere and Monceau-St. Vaast, and have reached or passed the line of the Avesnes-Bavai road between Monceau-St. Vaast and the railway south of Bavai."

A counter-attack in the evening southeast of Bavai was repulsed with heavy loss to the enemy, and our line was advanced.

"In close fighting last night in the neighborhood of Angre we gained possession of the village and pushed to the high ground east of it."

"We have reached the outskirts of Quievrain and Crespin, successful patrol encounters southwest of Tournai resulted in the taking of fifty prisoners."

## French Report.

Paris, Nov. 7.—Along the entire front the pursuit of the retreating Germans was taken up again this morning, according to to-day's War Office announcement.

The French have thrown cavalry into the action on their right where the mounted troops are pushing in the direction of the Meuse.

The French are moving forward east of the forests of Nouvion and Regaival and north of the head Berre and Aisne Rivers. The statements read:

"The pursuit of the enemy was renewed this morning on the whole of the front. We are progressing east of the forests of Nouvion and Regaival and north of the head Berre and Aisne Rivers. The French lines join the Americans' French cavalry detachments are pushing in the direction of the Meuse."

## Great Advance.

With the British Army on the Franco-Belgian front, Nov. 7.—Up to last night the British had pushed forward to an extreme depth of eleven miles in two days. At dawn to-day they renewed their attack, and despite the heavy rain which had been falling for two days, were getting ahead rapidly.

Quievrain, at the Belgian border, northeast of Valenciennes, capitulated early to-day. Farther south the British are forging ahead on Belgian soil, having forced a crossing of the Angreval River late yesterday and captured Angreval and Heisnois. Other detachments are pushing forward in the main Bavai-Avesnes highway southeast of Bavai, while their comrades are driving on Bavai farther west.

Northeast of Valenciennes. The Germans had organized a defence along the line of the British First Army was near that waterway. The line is a buttress not only for Mons, but affords protection for the Germans holding Tournai. It seemed probable to-day that the Germans would withdraw from Tournai to the Dendre River within a few days, since that sector is threatened gravely.

Prisoners captured by the British tell of the desperate straits of their army. They report that on some sectors the soldiers retreated without orders and that on others they refused to deliver a counter-attack. In regard to the so-called Mons-Maubeuge-Avesnes line, there is no regular system of defences linking them together. The line therefore, is largely imaginary.

## Rapid Advance.

London, Nov. 7.—In reaching the Meuse at Sedan, General Pershing's men achieved an advance of four miles since late Wednesday night. German's main line of communication from Metz westward goes through Sedan, and it is no longer of use to the enemy.

In their rapid advance northward to Sedan since last Friday the Americans have captured 6,000 prisoners. Sedan is seven miles from the French frontier and the fall of the town, which is mostly on the east bank of the Meuse, would mean the definite turning of the Meuse line northward into Belgium and would force the Germans back almost to the Rhine if hostilities should continue. East of the Meuse the Americans pressed toward Montmedy.

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## An Early Report.

With the American Army on the Sedan front, Nov. 7.—Noon.—The distance between the advancing Americans and the German positions before Sedan grew much less Wednesday and early to-day the Americans were only four miles south of Sedan. During the night their progress east of the Meuse was consolidated while progress was made on both sides of the river, the Germans giving way slowly.

The railway junction at Sedan is nearly in the hands of the Allies. The French on the American left are moving forward rapidly in the direction of Sedan, making it doubtful whether the

honor of first reaching the city will go to them or to the Americans.

London, Nov. 7.—Little doubt is entertained in London that Germany will accept the armistice terms of the Allies owing to the increasing gravity of her position, military and internally. The pace of the German retreat, greatly accelerated yesterday, became almost a rout. The threat at the enemy's communications has been accentuated by the capture of Vervins, only eight miles from Hirson, an important railway centre, and Omcourt, ten miles from Mezieres. The average advance on the whole immense front yesterday was six miles. The German flank at Valenciennes was turned, as was the flank west of the Meuse. Prince Rupprecht's seventy-one divisions, forced to retreat northward, will find it difficult to escape without being shouldered across the Dutch frontier.

FOUR OFFICERS BEARING  
ENEMY'S REQUEST FOR  
TERMS PROBABLY NOW  
AT HEADQUARTERS

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The Associated Press did not carry the report. On the contrary, its correspondents in London and Paris continued to file dispatches reporting the progress of events respecting the probable armistice which controverted definitely the rumor that a truce had been declared.

## Statement by Baker.

Washington, Nov. 7.—In answer to a question at 4 p. m. as to whether the War Department had any confirmation of the report that an armistice had been signed, Secretary Baker said: "We have no confirmation. So far as the War Department is concerned we are wholly without confirmation on the subject, and the information that we have is that the commissioners, when last heard of, were on their way to Marshal Foch's headquarters, and it would seem hardly probable that the meeting could have taken place at the time the announcement was first made. The minute the War Department has any authoritative news on this subject it will give it out at once."

## Point of Entry.

London, Nov. 7.—Marshal Foch informed the Germans that their white flag delegates who were coming to learn the armistice terms should enter the French lines on the road between Chimay, Belgium, and Guise, France, which runs between Vervins and Avesnes. On that road the French line is within ten miles of the Belgian frontier.

## No Confirmation.

New York, Nov. 7.—The New York News Bureau, which is affiliated with the Central News, sent out a dispatch on its financial news tickets this afternoon under a London date, reading as follows:

"At 2.30 o'clock this afternoon the Foreign Office announced that it had no confirmation of the report that Germany had accepted the armistice conditions."

Montreal, Nov. 7.—This city went into a furious celebration of joy upon receipt of the report that an armistice had been signed. Whistles were blown continuously and bells were rung all over the city. Buses were suspended and the streets quickly crowded with celebrants. Guns boomed and small arms cracked. The people took a chance on the correctness of the news and celebrated noisily.

## At Ottawa.

Ottawa, Nov. 7.—Ottawa did not enter into a celebration of the alleged signing of the armistice, but calmly awaited the official announcement from London.

NEW ZEALAND WILL  
SEND MINISTERS TO  
THE PEACE CONFERENCE

Wellington, N. Z., Nov. 7.—(Canadian Press Dispatch via Reuters.)—It is definitely understood that New Zealand will be represented at the peace conference and that her Ministers are momentarily expecting an urgent call.

LORD CURZON GOES  
ACROSS TO FRANCE

London, Nov. 7.—The British naval representative at the armistice negotiations will be Sir Rosslyn Wemyss, First Sea Lord of the Admiralty, it is officially announced.

London, Nov. 7.—Earl Curzon, a member of the British War Cabinet, it is announced, has gone to the Continent on official business.

SPANISH CABINET  
GIVES RESIGNATION

Madrid, Nov. 7.—After a long session in the Chamber to-day, Antonio Maura, the Premier, went to King Alfonso to submit the resignation of his entire Cabinet.

## LETTERS

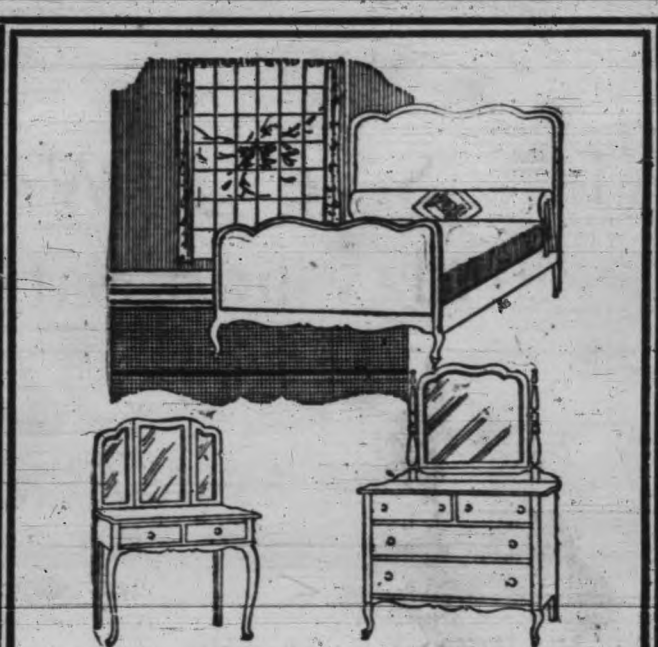
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## THE GALIANO.

To the Editor.—Recently "Safety First" demands a public enquiry conducted in your columns. Such an enquiry is no doubt desirable, but, in the columns of a newspaper, where one can make statements and hide one's identity under a nom. de plume, it is unsatisfactory and evidence contained in such correspondence, however exuberant, is unreliable.

I wonder who Safety First is? We read and hear a great deal about the Galiano being cranky, unworthy and as Safety First declares, "Not stout enough, etc." but, believe me, these statements are merely the vaporous utterances of Prairie sailors, who do not know what going to sea really is.

Now, I served on the Galiano as quartermaster for three years and nine months, and during that time saw a great deal of bad weather off Cape Flattery and the West Coast, also



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## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, November 7, 1893.

Capt. H. F. Seward, a well-known sealer and part proprietor of the Germania saloon, was stopped by footpads at the corner of Douglas Street and View Street early this morning. He thinks he could recognize his assailants.

The steamer *Warrior* is due here from Australia and Hawaiian Islands on Thursday. She will bring definite news of the fate of the Minerva.

around Queen Charlotte Islands. I can honestly declare that I would willingly have gone anywhere and in any weather on the Galiano with Capt. Fope in command, and I can name at least twelve seamen living in Victoria, who served on the Galiano for periods of two and a half to three years, who I am certain would be willing to endorse my statements.

J. F. WHITESIDE  
C. G. S. ESTEVAN.

Nov. 7, 1918.

## MILL WOOD SUPPLY.

To the Editor: In last night's issue of your paper there appeared an article on the shortage of coal. The writer also stated that the wood was a scarce article and that it is selling for \$5.50 and \$6.00 per cord.

This is somewhat misleading to the general public as, at least, one firm has an advertisement in this issue quoting prices for delivery of wood as low as \$4.25 per cord. It is in a position to make prompt delivery of not less than twenty cords of mill wood per day, and can also supply a limited amount of bark.

A great many people are under the impression that the Hindus handle practically all the mill wood, and object to dealing with them. In connection with this I wish to state that at the present time at least 90 per cent of all the wood cut at this particular mill is handled and delivered by white men.

W. A. CAMERON,  
1885 Moss St.

Have You Bought Victory Bonds—If Not, Why Not?

## HOW TO ESCAPE THE INFLUENZA.

To the Editor.—Germany is being cornered by the Allied nations. We believe God is on our side. Some of the nations have already surrendered to us unconditionally, and victory seems sure to come soon. All honor to our brave boys who have fought so gallantly. May Heaven's blessings be on them.

But a new enemy has appeared on the great battlefield of the world. The Word of God tells us we are not only to have war but also famine and pestilence. Matt. 24: 7, 8. That nation shall rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; and there shall be famine and pestilence and earthquakes in divers places. So we are in the midst of the awful pestilence of Spanish influenza, but we believe there is a way to victory.

As the days of fasting and prayer for victory in the great world war conflict have been honored by God, so we believe He will honor the same supplication from the people in regard to the present epidemic.

When the children of Israel had sinned and a plague broke out in their midst, Moses was commanded to make a brazen serpent and place it on a pole in their midst, and as the people looked at it they were healed (by obedience to God) and the plague was stayed. We have the very same God looking on us to-day. We must honor Him and look to Him to stay the plague. Whether we recognize it or not, we are under the hand of God and we should recognize His power and rule. In His mercy He tells us what to do to escape (Lev. 1:15). "Seek ye the Lord, all ye meek of the earth, which have wrought this judgment: seek righteousness, seek meekness; it may be ye shall be hid in the day of the Lord's anger."

Jer. 18:7, 8 says: "At what instant I shall speak concerning a nation and concerning a kingdom to pluck up and as pull down and to destroy it; if that nation against whom I have pro-

nounced, turn from their evil, I will repent of the evil that I thought to do unto them."

Disregarding God may bring evil upon us. Jer. 18:9, 10 says: "And at what instant I shall speak concerning a nation, and concerning a kingdom, to build and to plant it; if it do evil in my sight; that it obey not my voice. Then will I repent of the good wherewith I said I would benefit them."

Let us not make the fatal mistake that Germany has made, in trusting in her own power, and turning away from God. She thought to make better soldiers by weakening their faith in God and His Word, but we know that a Christian soldier fighting in a righteous cause makes the stronger fight.

King David as a shepherd boy, by going out in the strength of the Lord, killed the giant Goliath, and as a result the Philistines were put to flight.

To All Christians. Pray that God may undertake for us in the removal of this plague.

That Christ, in spirit, may be lifted up before the stricken people that they may be saved.

That repentance may be laid on the wicked to turn them to God. That the nations may learn war no more.

Prov. 14:34 says: "Righteousness exalteth a nation; but sin is a reproach to any people." There is comfort and consolation in safety. Please read the 91st Psalm.

SAMUEL SNAVELY,  
1777 Hampshire Road.

## URGES ISOLATION.

To the Editor.—While not wanting to disparage what has been done to protect us from the ravages of influenza, and if the disease is really now disappearing from the city we may all agree that the right things have been done at the right times, but if the small number of cases last reported is only a low ebb to be followed by as large numbers as ever, many of us will again ask, "Why has not more been done?"

Are those in authority really sure that influenza only spreads in crowds? Are the germs not in homes where the disease is? Do people visiting these homes and hospitals not carry them away? Do convalescents not give off germs for some time after they are out of bed? Has anything more than the giving of advice been done for this phase of the situation? One report comes to hand of three women nobly going from a certain boarding-house to nurse patients in a hospital, and being allowed to go back and forth to the house. In a few days sight of the other borders were down with the disease. This, of course, does not prove that the nurses carried the germs, but it looks very suspicious.

For a few diseases such as diphtheria, etc., which are now occasionally accountable for an odd death, we quarantine both house and inmates, but for a disease like this, which is carrying off so many of our citizens, we leave the houses open to all comers, and allow the patients in all stages of convalescence to roam wherever they will, apparently allowed to think that since they are not in a church, a school, a theatre or some other crowd they, and every other person, is quite safe. If this is so, Mr. Editor, then Pastors must have lived in vain.

If the germs of this disease spread like ordinary germs, those people who are suffering both in the family and business losses sustained have a right to expect that all germ carriers shall be so isolated that the disease will be eradicated as soon as possible. This is no complaint of what has been done, but if more is needed it should be done promptly.

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—Mantles, First Floor

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be jealously guarded and kept to the pitch of its reputation. Even to-day, as the nation cheered the most thrilling news of its history, the same organization which played Canada's great military leader away in 1914, accompanied a dead comrade to his last rest, only to return to the city and herald the dawn of peace, knowing, however, that their virtual death warrant had been signed less than twenty-four hours before.

**Ten Months' Record.**  
It would seem almost infra dig to commence to recount the services before the war and since hostilities began, performed by the band of the 5th Regiment. Nevertheless in fairness to the bandmen themselves it should be noted that already during the present year eighty-five concerts—seventy of which were for purely patriotic and national money-raising plans—have been attended by the band; twenty-seven military parades, on such occasions as the visits of royalty, gubernatorial parties and foreign potentates, etc., and twenty-five military funerals. This ten months' record is sufficient in itself to give some idea of the splendid assistance the band has given to Canada's war work, and while it

"goes west" on November 15, the regrets of Victoria will go to Bandmaster Smith, who has wielded the baton for more than five years, to his three fellow non-commissioned officers, and the twenty-two gunners. All these men, by the way, are either over-age, under-age, or medically unfit for active service.

## SPANISH INFLUENZA

Situation in Victoria and Neighboring Municipalities Shows Improvement.

The Spanish Influenza situation shows much signs of improvement to-day, according to Dr. Arthur G. Price, Medical Health Officer, who states that only a few cases were reported to him up to noon.

In Saanich the situation is much the same as it has been for the past few days. The Tillikum Women's Institute, acting with the Victoria Order of Nurses, takes every possible care of the patients, and hot broths and soups are supplied to all the homes where the inmates are incapacitated. Although a number of new cases have been reported they are of a mild type.

Altogether it is believed that the epidemic both in Victoria and the surrounding municipalities, is considerably on the wane, and it is stated that the situation is more hopeful than it has been for some time.

## KEEP ON BUYING VICTORY BONDS

**Returning Home.**—Sixteen returned soldiers are due to reach Victoria on the next boat from Vancouver.

**Have You Bought Victory Bonds?**—If Not, Why Not?

## "I Never Had a Sewing Machine I Like So Much"

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## Orders Demobilization of Victoria's Famous Military Band.



THE FIFTH REGIMENT BAND

## FIFTH REGIMENT BAND TO BE DEMOBILIZED UNDER DISTRICT MILITARY ORDER

**News Came as Complete Surprise to Bandsmen: Famous Military Organization Has Raised Many Needed Dollars and Has Taken Lead in Every Musical Event for Many Years**

By chance irony of fate District Orders issued from the Headquarters of Military District No. 11, early this morning, announce the fact that all non-commissioned officers and men of the band of the 5th Regiment, Canadian Garrison Artillery, will be demobilized on Friday, November 15. Such non-commissioned officers and men who are physically fit and willing to transfer to the 11th Battalion, Canadian Garrison Regiment, may do so but all others are instructed to return to civil life.

### What It Means.

Correctly interpreted the Order given by the Executive head of this Military District translates one of the finest aggregation of musicians from an extremely valuable, pleasure-giving and useful service into virtual oblivion, and the loss occasioned thereby will be best understood by those numerous patriotic societies and organizations whose appeals for aid to the Band of the 5th Regiment never went in vain. It was the fortune of war which determined the mobilization of this excellent band and those same fates have decreed—but under a much less spectacular pretext—that its services, as an essential factor calculated to have

any effect on the winning of the war, have outlived their usefulness. In other words the General Officer Commanding this District—in keeping with a policy of economy which he has always sought to combine with an efficiency compatible—as a part of the trappings of war that now comes under the heading of a superfluity.

### Cost to the Country.

Inquiries directed to the Military Headquarters this morning elicited the fact that the approximate cost of maintaining the band on the strength with customary rates of pay, separation allowances, etc., is \$25,000 to \$30,000 per annum. In other words the people of Canada have paid in round figures \$199,999 for the maintenance of the organization since its whole membership came within the general mobilization order issued on the outbreak of war.

How many hundreds of thousands of dollars have been expended in judiciously during the last four years does not enter into the question at this juncture; but Victorians will very surely regret that—as would doubtless the rest of Canada when in possession of some idea of the service rendered to the State by the band of the 5th—there is the gravest possible danger of losing, as an entity, the crack regimental band of the Province.

### Raised Many Thousands.

It is fitting at this juncture to point out to the people of this city, who have come to regard the organization as of a permanency akin to the Parliament Buildings, that every function of a public nature, patriotic or otherwise, joyous or sad, has found the band of the 5th in attendance. When there has been a scheme to raise money for war charities, the band of the 5th has been loaned and its drawing power has invariably been reflected in the coffers of the appealing organization at the end of the day.

Thousands of dollars necessary for the country's war auxiliary work have been raised by the band of the 5th leaving the balance sheet with a contra account very nearly approximating, if not exceeding, the cost of its maintenance.

### Sold Liberty Bonds.

Neither have its musical treats been confined to patriotic money-raising endeavors on this side of the international boundary line. Only a few weeks ago the people of Seattle paid unstinted compliment to the valuable service rendered in virtually ensuring subscriptions to the Fourth Liberty Loan. For a solid week the men of the 5th worked like Trojans for Uncle Sam, and Victorians may take pride in the fact that their crack band helped to turn the trick in Seattle and enabled her to romp home well above her quota.

But this band will be no more after November 15; its members will seek their fortunes in civil life—some may leave town and then the energy of more than twenty years will come to an end. Some will perhaps go to the 11th Canadian Garrison Regiment, as the order suggests, but to all intents and purposes what would otherwise be possible if the 5th Regiment itself were in existence, as the parent prop to the band will not now be feasible and the suggestion that the men will always be on call as active militiamen does not hold. Half of the men might be available; but it is scarcely possible that more than that number would be on hand, at any rate on the usual short notice which has characterized the demand for the band's services in the past.

### Seventeen Fighting.

As will be generally understood, it has been a great struggle for the organization to retain its proud position since war broke out by reason of the early voluntary enlistments of no less than seventeen of its members, who have gone to fight the good fight. Nevertheless the officers of the 5th, and particularly Lieut.-Col. Angus, have always regarded the musical part of the regiment as their especial charge, to

# IF GERMANY ACCEPTS

Before this is in type Germany may have accepted the Allies' terms of armistice. But, that would not mean that the Victory Loan would not be needed.

Canada will still need the Victory Loan when fighting ceases, just as she has needed the money to carry on the war.

After fighting ceases it will cost hundreds of millions of dollars to maintain Canada's soldiers until they can be demobilized. Canada may have to keep her quota of men in occupied enemy territory.

Canada will have to transport her army home.

For some time to come Canada must continue to finance the supply of foodstuffs for Britain and her Allies on credit.

War or no war, Canada must continue to finance her ship-building programme to replace lost tonnage and to establish and maintain her proper place in the sea carrying commerce of the world.

All this will have to be financed through the Victory Loan, 1918.

So, whether or not Germany accepts the Allies' terms the Victory Loan, 1918, must be subscribed and oversubscribed.

Nothing less than this will enable Canada to complete her war effort and to maintain her agricultural and industrial prosperity.

Remember, this may be your last chance to buy Canadian Government Bonds bearing five and one-half per cent interest.

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## EMBLEM CONTEST CONTINUES KEEN THROUGHOUT CITY

New Firms Carry Off Highest  
Decoration of Com-  
petition

### ADDITIONAL NAMES IN BOTH CLASSES

The Victory Loan Honor Emblem competition, though perhaps temporarily checked this morning, will not stop on account of peace reports from Europe. More firms are hourly leaping into the first division of 100 per cent patriots, and the spirit of friendly rivalry is spreading to all sections of the city. Eighteen new companies were awarded emblems yesterday, and to-day saw a large increase in the numbers of the select circle.

Those in charge of the competition, however, warn the public, as do other loan officials, that the efforts of local merchants must not slacken even if there is no further fighting. Canada will need the money. It will cost millions of dollars to demobilize the troops. The bills have to be paid.

#### Must Be No Let Up.

"While a great load may be lifted off our shoulders," remarked a prominent official this morning, "we must not for a single moment permit any relaxation of our efforts fully to subscribe for the Victory Loan, 1918. The expenses which we and our Allies must necessarily keep up to the war status, and in all probability exceed it."

"Enormous sums will be expended in maintaining our troops pending demobilization, and the process of demobilization and the maintenance of supplies of foodstuffs and other necessities in Europe will continue to require vast quantities of money."

#### Must Concentrate.

"We must not let our thoughts stray too far ahead, but must concentrate our efforts upon our own immediate obligation to our country and our present urgent duty is to see to it that the Victory Loan is more than doubly subscribed."

#### Keep B. C. in Front.

"We must stand well in the eyes of our Allies, for we must keep British Columbia well to the forefront in order that we may maintain in peace the marvelous records which our gallant men have carved for themselves and for us in war."

"Victoria is instanced the world over as the most patriotic spot in the British Empire and must not allow herself to be deprived of this honorable distinction."

"So the Honor Emblem Competition will be carried on with renewed vigor, and if we do our part individually to make it an outstanding success, we shall surely wrest from Vancouver the coveted honor flag, and again Victoria's fame shall be heralded the length and breadth of the land that she has kept faith."

#### A Potent Factor.

The Victory Loan officials generally concede that the honor emblem competition will be one of the most potent factors in putting Victoria on the sunny side of her objective. By it all the sections of the community are brought into the contest, and scarcely any business place in the city is left untouched by its influence. Departments are vying with departments, whole blocks of offices are competing with equally ambitious rivals. And the result is a stream of gold flowing into the coffers of the loan office.

With the loan drive half over the following firms have landed in the hundred per cent column recently:

**100 Per Cent Honor Firms—Senior List**  
November 6.  
Teaching Staff George Jay School.  
Brackman-Ker Milling Co., Ltd.  
(Office Staff).  
Burdick Bros. & Brett.  
Shelly Bros. (Bakery and Employees).  
Scott & Peden.

**100 Per Cent Honor Firms—Junior List.**  
November 6.  
Burdick Bros. & Brett (Real Estate Office).  
Burdick Bros. & Brett (Real Estate change Office).  
R. B. Godfree and Employees.  
The Old Corner Cigar Stand.  
Gas Fitting Department, Victoria Gas Co.

Thomas Simmons, Stall 49, Market.  
Mrs. Galland, Stall 54, Market.  
Mrs. Dunn, Stall 56, Market.  
C. Little, Stall 56, Market.  
G. A. Knight, Mount Tolmie Nursery.  
Weller Bros. (Office Staff).  
Weller Bros. (Warehouse Staff).  
New Method Cleaners (Tates Street).

**November 7.**  
Mrs. Cella Kemp and family.  
E. & N. Railway, (General Office Staff).  
E. & N. Railway (Superintendent's Office Staff).

# What are Peps

Peps are the new treatment for coughs, colds and lung troubles. They are little tablets made up from fine extracts and medicinal essences. When put into the mouth these medicinal ingredients turn into healing vapors, which are breathed down direct to the lungs, throat and bronchial tubes. The Peps treatment is direct. Swallowing cough mixtures into the stomach, to cure ailments and disorders in throat and lungs, is indirect. Peps are revolutionizing the treatment of colds and their price is within the reach of all. All dealers, 50c. box. Send 1c. stamp for FREE TRIAL PACKAGE.

## CIVIL SERVANTS LED WAY TO CELEBRATION

Young Ladies of Lands Department First to "Get the Spirit"

To the energetic young ladies of the Provincial Department of Lands goes the laurel of sympathetic revolution at the Parliament Buildings this morning.

Before the early news of the reported signing of the armistice had scarcely percolated through the main streets of the city, the Parliament Buildings began to buzz with suppressed excitement only to break out into a virtually mutinous flame as the young ladies in question donned their street garments and made for the "entrance out" in a body.

The example appealed to other Departments, and with the incessant ringing of every bell in the Buildings the news spread and both typewriter and note book became suddenly devoid of the customary mute appeal to duty. Before the hour of eleven had struck the tooting horns from every direction brought heads to every window in the Building, and the Premier was a ready assenter to the suspension of labor for the balance of the day.

In less than ten minutes the business of the Province was resting quietly while the members of the Civil Service took keen consolation in the fact that Kaiserism was about to get its solar plexus.

### MUST INDICATE

#### ATTITUDE TO WAR

Mennonites Will Be Barred in  
Applications for Crown  
Lands

In view of the recent well-founded objection to the granting of settlement privileges to Mennonites reaching British Columbia from the United States and the interest displayed in the matter by Premier Oliver, his observations on the subject this morning will be read with satisfaction by all returned soldiers from whom came the initial reminder of the situation in the Vanderhoof locality.

Mr. Oliver stated to a representative of The Times this morning that the Provincial Department of Lands had instructed its agents that in all applications for pre-emption or purchase of Crown Lands it must be established conclusively whether the applicant is entitled to or claims exemption from Military Service or other duties of citizenship.

Where such information is refused the application will not be granted until the Department is satisfied that such prospective settler is duly entitled to consideration.

In other words the final arbiter is the Minister of Lands, and he will see to it that Crown Lands are not acquired by that class of citizen who finds it convenient to attempt to evade the first principles which war has prescribed as necessary to secure protection under the British flag.

### A PIONEER AIRMAN



**LIEUTENANT, HARRY A. FARR**  
Canada's pioneer aviator. He is one of the original three airmen who formed the nucleus of the Canadian Flying Corps, and after an absence of four years is expected back in Victoria soon.

### The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Nov. 7.—5 a. m.—The barometer is rising over this Province and fair, colder weather is becoming general in B. C. Fair, moderately cold weather prevails in the prairie provinces.

**Reports.**  
Victoria—Barometer, 30.35; temperature, maximum yesterday, 47; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, cloudy.  
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, maximum yesterday, 44; minimum, 32; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.  
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46; minimum, 32; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.  
Barkerville—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, maximum yesterday, 36; minimum, 22; wind, calm; weather, clear.  
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday, 44; minimum, 36; wind, calm; rain, 32; weather, clear.  
Penticton—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 47; rain, 51.

**Temperature.**

	Max.	Min.
Seattle	50	40
San Francisco	52	44
Cranbrook	40	..
Nelson	40	..
Kaslo	49	..
Calgary	58	28
Edmonton	54	24
Qu'Appelle	36	18
Winnipeg	34	28
Toronto	48	..
Ottawa	48	..
Montreal	44	..
St. John	40	..
Halifax	40	..

## PREMIER GIVES HIS REPLY TO CRITICISM

Points Out Necessity to Deal  
With Wage Question  
Intelligently

Reference was made in these columns yesterday to the fact that the Civil Service Commissioner will forthwith proceed to grade and classify all persons in the employ of the Provincial Government under the terms of the Civil Service Act for the primary and immediate express purpose of permitting the Cabinet to reach conclusions regarding a general adjustment of the wage scale.

In reference thereto and specifically in reply to certain comments on the question which appeared in the morning paper's editorial columns to-day,

Premier Oliver gave out the following for publication this morning:

#### Answers Critics.

"The Colonist editorial of this morning, as far as it reflects upon the Civil Service Commissioner, is unwarranted and the statement that a single day's work should suffice to compile a list of those entitled to a war bonus, shows the ignorance of the writer in respect to what is involved. The Government has from time to time authorized increased payments on account of services where urgent cases have been brought to its attention. Now the demand has become so widespread and general that the Executive decided that the interests of all concerned would be best served if further action were deferred until the report of the Civil Service Commissioner is available, when the question of allowances could be considered more intelligently than is possible at the present time."

#### Much Data Collected.

"The Civil Service Act came into force on July 1 last, and since July 8, when the Commissioner commenced active work, a vast amount of data has been collected and when The Colonist states that little or nothing has been done, it is either grossly careless about ascertaining the facts or guilty of wilful misrepresentation."

## SPURT IN LOAN RACE YESTERDAY; MUST BE NO SLACKENING NOW

(Continued from page 1.)

#### Effect of Peace.

Yesterday, before the recent dispatches had come through, Mr. Taylor voiced the opinion that the announcement of an armistice would have a stimulating effect upon the Loan. In the first place, he pointed out that the people should realize that should the war be concluded, they will probably not be given another opportunity of investing in a Loan issue at such profit to themselves. They should therefore make the most of their present opportunities.

Again, there are very few who do not realize that war or peace there will be no immediate let up in the expenditure. More than anything they know that huge sums will be needed to demobilize the army and bring the boys home. They understand that to slacken their strides now would be falling down in the supreme test, would be failing in the crisis. A contest, the officials point out, is being

waged between reason and blind impulse. The people must be governed by reason and act in such a way that Canada, which sent her boys ungrudgingly to face death in Europe, may not fail to bring them home again. This is the time when the moral strength of the Canadian people will be taxed to the utmost.

#### Immediate Results.

The peace reports resulted in an immediate increase in the sale of bonds at the headquarters of the Loan, more money being invested through this channel up to noon than on any previous day. After the crowd had assembled, many persons flocked into the office and raised their subscriptions, while the canvassers working the city districts found an eager response to their solicitations.

#### Half of Drive Over.

The conclusion of the first half of the drive sees Victoria well past the half-way mark on the road to Victory. It has been easy going so far but now the officials point out, the city will start up on a grade. However, it was the experience last year that the response to the Loan on the last week was the most generous of the whole campaign. With the additional stimulus of the present peace reports, the city should mount the grade with a steady unfaltering pace, backed by the knowledge

that money is just as necessary now as it ever was, and that the boys will be brought home by the dollars now invested.

#### Yesterday's Investment.

The investment of "Greater Victoria" yesterday was remarkable in several respects. In the first place, many of the canvassers spent their whole time sorting out a large number of applications which had become somewhat confused. Thus little new ground was broken, and in addition it was a half-holiday. In directing the disposal of his forces, Kenneth Ferguson expected a lean day, but he knew also that it would be one of the most profitable of the drive.

From now on, however, the road will be clearer. There is no note of pessimism at headquarters, no doubt is harbored that Victoria will pass her objective by the end of the drive.

"The study of the occult sciences interests me very much," remarked the new boarder. "I love to explore the dark depths of the mysterious, to delve into the regions of the unknown, to fathom the unfathomable, as it were and to—"

"May I help you to some of the hash, professor?" interrupted the landlady. And the good woman never knew why the other boarders smiled audibly.



IN thousands of Canadian homes to-night, the prayers of little children will ask Heavenly protection for fathers and brothers "over there."

If you could enter one such home, and hear a child lisp that plea for daddy's safe return, there would come into your life a newer and more personal realization of what war means.

You who have no kin in France—

Surely you have eyes to see and hearts

big enough to understand the obligation that rests on you.

Surely you will provide the money—all the money you can—to bring about that Victory which will answer the prayers of our soldiers' little ones.

How much of your earnings will you put into Canada's Victory Bonds?

It is more than a duty—it is a privilege—to help provide everything that enables our brave Canadians to march on to Victory—to bring the struggle to an early end—that the prayers of their little ones may be answered and

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Baby Buggy Repairs and Tires put on at Wilson's Repair Shop, 612 Commercial.

Have You Bought Young Johnnie's Bond Yet?

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Victory Costs Money, Victory Bonds.

Bank Clearings—The bank clearings for the week ending yesterday were \$2,346,317, as compared with \$1,699,022 in the corresponding week of 1917.

Have You Bought a Victory Bond?

Legislative Raffle.—The drawing took place at the Government Building on Wednesday morning for a panoramic photograph of Victoria taken by Walter W. Baer on Christmas Day, 1917, from the dome of the buildings. The photograph was framed in an English antique moulding and the raffle in aid of the Red Cross was organized by Mr. Baer, assisted by Mrs. King, of the Provincial Secretary's Department, and Miss Jangor, of the Forestry Department. The winning number was 447, held by Miss MacLeod, of the Attorney-General's Department. The total proceeds, \$46.20, are gratefully acknowledged by Canadian Red Cross Headquarters.

Granted Commission.—Bomb. Robert D. Travis, who left here with the 62nd Battery, 15th Brigade, under Colonel Ogilvie, has been granted a commission, and is now attached to the Borden training camp for officers in England. Before going overseas he was a member of the office staff of the B. C. Electric Railway Company. He is a son of Mrs. L. Travis, of 162 Medina Street.

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will be made in this day's issue of The British Columbia Gazette. The one company registered is the Sullivan-Taylor Motors, Limited, authorized capital \$25,000; registered office of the company, Vancouver.

## WAGE BOARD SESSION HAS BEEN POSTPONED

Conference Will Be Held Determining Future of Labor Bureau

With little prospect of an early lifting of the ban prohibiting all forms of public assembly, it has been decided by the Minimum Wage Board of British Columbia to postpone its first sitting, scheduled for November 12, until December 4.

The meeting in question will take place at the Court House in Vancouver and members of the general public are invited to attend and to give such information as may be relative to the discussions that will mark the business of the occasion.

At the call of the Minister of Labor a conference is to be held in Ottawa on November 19, when representatives of all the provinces of the Dominion will deal with the employment bureau question in a national sense and towards the end of establishment of such officers under the Employment Bureau Co-ordination Act. It will be the object of the conference to discover the best means of co-operation between the various provinces of the Dominion and the Federal Government in connection with the rehabilitation of returned soldiers as well as in connection with labor matters generally.

Mr. McNiven, Deputy Minister of Labor for British Columbia—the first Provincial Department of its kind to be established in Canada—will represent this province and will journey to the National Capital with Premier Oliver, at whose suggestion Sir Robert Borden called the conference of Provincial Premiers, which convenes on the same day.

Old Lady (pushing her way into the crowd)—"What's the matter, constable?"  
Constable—"Cat run over by a tram-car."  
Old Lady—"How sad! Was the cat on the line?"  
Constable (fed up with asinine inquiries)—"No, mum, tram chased it up a tree."

## AVOID PNEUMONIA

During Convalescing Period

When convalescing from the Flu a powerful blood-making tonic is an absolute necessity—and one that is accepted by the most delicate stomach should be available.

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## ONE LONE COMPANY

Lowest Record of Incorporations in Any One Week This Year.

Pre-occupation over the success of the Victory Loan may reasonably be held responsible for the smallest number of companies registered in any one week during the present year.

During the seven days ending at noon to-day only one concern has applied to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies for a certificate of incorporation, official notification of which

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## VICTORIA OFFICER HAS BEEN EXCHANGED

Soldier Who Enlisted at Fifteen Wounded for Second Time

Private Herberly Warren appears in to-day's issue of the British Columbia Gazette. The information has been sent to his father at Wellington Street, Esquimalt. Private Warren left Victoria in July, 1916, with the 103rd Battalion. Information was received a week or two ago that he was suffering from jaundice, and later information states that he is still very ill.

Has Been Repatriated. Captain Henry C. V. Macdowell, whose relatives reside in this city, has been repatriated. He enlisted in Valcartier when the big training camp was crowded with men in the early part of the war anxious to get into the big struggle. His sufferings since that time have told on the officer, and since the exchange was made he has been admitted to hospital in England.

A Young Soldier. Word has been received by Mr. F. Dykes, of Davidson Avenue, that his son, Pte. Arthur William Dykes, has been admitted to No. 4 General Hospital, Basingstoke, England, with a gunshot wound in his left shoulder and a gunshot wound in his left leg which necessitated amputation.

Pte. Dykes was educated at the North Ward School and at the age of fifteen he enlisted with the Canadian Army Medical Corps. He was first wounded after over two years' service in France.

FOR THE VICTORY LOAN. October, 1918. Before Christ walked the earth, when Rome Was groping for an ordered peace, Great Caesar carried not at home, But in the field, disdaining ease, Marshalling his legions' battle-line He put the Teuton over the Rhine.

Five hundred years, and Christian folk Faced the dark weltering storm-cloud's yoke, Till sword flashed forth and trumpet spoke.

Great was the day! Not small the cost! But Gaul, with Rome in her decline, Drove back the Hun across the much-watched Rhine.

To-day again we face the savage horde, Will'd by a tyrant to enslave the world, England! we gather to thy gleaming sword.

Advance thy flag! for Victory unfurled! Our sons, our wealth, our prayers are thine, All that we have, so that the Hun be hurled across the Rhine. F. M. P. Victoria.

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will give you every satisfaction. They are low-priced, it is true, but they are as scientifically prepared to suit your particular needs as any lenses priced at several times as much. After all, it amounts to this: Why pay more for the same lenses? I positively guarantee satisfaction—that's how confident I am that I can please you!

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## FURTHER HONOR FOR YOUNG VICTORIA FLYER

D. S. O. Man is Also Among Those Awarded the Air Force Cross

An additional honor has been won by Lieut. Kenneth F. Saunders, of Victoria. During his long service in France with the Air Force, the young Victoria officer's gallantry had previously been noted with the award of the Distinguished Service Order. He has acquired

himself in a manner that has made him many friends in this city proud of his record, and it was for his zeal and devoted duty during July to December of last year that he was awarded the D. S. O.

The latest honor to be conferred upon him is the Air Force Cross, but no information has yet been received of the action for which the award is made.

He was one of the first young men to leave Victoria to train for the air service, and passed his examination in Dayton, Ohio, October, 1915, and later entered the Royal Naval Air Service. His work from that time has been marked by that courageousness that has won for the Canadian airmen the reputation they at present enjoy.

BOX SHOP WILL OPEN ON NOVEMBER 18

Gonzales Chapter, I. O. D. E., to Sell Dainty Boxes Suitable for Christmas

Christmas is rapidly approaching, and in its train comes thoughts of Yuletide gifts to friends at home and overseas. In an endeavor to help solve the problem of what to give to one's friends, the Gonzales Chapter, I. O. D. E., has again arranged to open its Box Shop. Through the kindness of Burdick Bros. and Brett the boxes will be again displayed in the window of their store in the Pemberton building, commencing with Monday, November 18.

Boxes of every description and of bewildering beauty of color are being made in the temporary workrooms in the Pemberton Building. The boxes are covered with papers of the most beautiful designs, ranging from dainty chintz-like patterns to bold designs full of glowing color and resplendent with birds of every hue. Nor is the beauty confined to the outside, for on the inner walls of many of the boxes will be found nestling a dainty floral spray. Such a receptacle would enhance a thousand fold the beauty of a dainty waist or becoming scarf or indeed of any gift. As with last year, a feature will be made of boxes of a size and shape suitable for the holding of gift of flowers, and while not denying that a rose by any other name may as well be a rose, all will agree that they will gain additional fragrance when sent to the recipient in such a delightful container.

To those wishing to give an acceptable but inexpensive gift to a young bride-to-be or indeed to any girl who cherished dainty possessions, nothing could be nicer than a set comprising handbox, dress-box, one for waists and a smaller one for gloves, veils, handkerchiefs and the thousand and one accessories required by the toilette of to-day.

The Box Shop originated last year with Mrs. C. W. Rhodes and Mrs. J. E. Umack, of Gonzales Chapter, who hit upon the idea as a way of raising "talent money." So successful was the scheme—over \$100 being raised for the chapter's patriotic work—that it was decided to repeat the venture this year. For some weeks past a small army of workers have been busily engaged in fashioning the boxes ready for the first display on Monday week. Orders for special boxes will be taken, and made up during the next few weeks.

JAMES ISLAND'S RESPONSE

High Praise for Islanders by Victory Loan Canvassers.

James Island went over the top with a rush that dazed the bond salesmen who visited the big explosives plant there a few days ago. The men were not satisfied with making munitions for the boys over there; they decided to go the limit by contributing their utmost in the form of silver shrapnel.

"The boys out there," remarked J. W. Hudson on returning from his canvassing of the island, "are keener about passing the loan objective than anything else at the present time. We just went all over the island, and hardly one did we get a refusal. We came back to headquarters with our pockets filled to the tune of \$30,000. We just simply scooped in the dollars without effort. These James Islanders are certainly 'some patriots.'"

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Lord Lovat's Lament, Stirling Castle and The Wind That Shakes, March, Strathspey and Reel.

R1194—Miss Drummond o' Perth, and The De'il Among the Tailors.  
Strathspey and Reel. Stumpie and Jenny Dang the Weaver.  
Strathspey and Reel.

(By Piper-Major Ross, Chief of Pipers, H. M. Scots Guards)  
R1519—The Athole Highlanders' Farewell to Loch Katrine, Maggie Cameron, and Reel of Tulloch. March, Strathspey and Reel. Leaving Glen Urquhart, Lady Loudon, and Duntroon. March, Strathspey and Reel.

R1780—Corrychoillie's 43rd Welcome to the Highland Meeting March, and Heroes of Flodden March (with drums). Rassy Highlanders' March, Lord Blantyre Strathspey and Reel of Tulloch (with drums).

The Harry Lauder Pipe Band  
R2954—79th's Farewell to Gibraltar (March). Miss Drummond o' Perth (Strathspey). The Kilt is My Delight (Reel). The Athole Highlanders' March to Loch Katrine.  
And Others

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Sun Maid Seeded Raisins, large pkt. .... 16c  
Wagstaff's Cut Mixed Peel, per lb. .... 45c  
New Dates, per pkg. .... 26c  
Shelled Almonds and Walnuts, per lb. .... 75c  
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Black Figs, per lb. .... 25c  
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## MEN THREW DOWN TOOLS TO CELEBRATE

Report That Armistice Had  
Been Signed Was Signal for  
Suspension of Work

## UNPARALLELED JOY WAVE ROLLS OVER WATERFRONT

"Check in boys, check in," was the joyous shout that swept through the shipyards here when the unofficial report came over the wires that the Germans had capitulated to the Allies' terms and an armistice had been signed.

A wave of unparalleled enthusiasm swept the whole of the waterfront. As the news spread swiftly around the city the shipyards automatically closed for the day.

At every plant the men threw down their tools and quit work in a body. No orders were given and none were awaited. The shrieking of whistles from the industrial plants ashore and every variety of craft adroit was the

signal for the immediate suspension of labor.

### At Assembly Plant.

Within a very few minutes after the news got around the men employed at the Ogden Point Assembly Plant left their tools just where they stood and streamed out of the gates. It was the intention of the officials in charge to suggest a holiday but the workers refused to wait for the suggestion. To the accompaniment of the increasing din from the sirens of the increasing number of steamers fitting out at the plant the workmen threw on their coats and paraded gaily out of the yard, dispersing in the direction of the city, some on foot and others aboard every conceivable kind of vehicle.

### Foundation Yards.

The same thing happened at the foundation shipyards. The men working on the steamers building for the French Government promptly arrived at the conclusion that work could easily be dispensed with to permit them to take part in the general celebration. The shipyards at Point Hope and Point Ellice were deserted in short order. The enthusiasm was infectious and no one stopped to ask the reason why. Collectively they took French leave.

A similar demonstration was witnessed at Yarrow's Ltd., where several hundred men checked in for the day, and flagged the city-bound cars from Esquimalt.

All roads led to the city the throngs of happy workers being eager to learn the latest news from the bulletins posted at the newspaper offices.

At the Chabot shipyard the men responded to the joyous shrieks of the sirens. The holiday fever extended to the plants of the Victoria Machinery

Depot, Hutchinson Bros. & Co. Ltd., and other centres of industry.

During the forenoon the foremen at the Navy Yard endeavored to keep the men at their posts, but without any material success. Everybody wanted to celebrate, and they did so in roasting style.

### A SOPHIA VICTIM



JACK HITCHIN

one of the victims of the Sophia wreck, was the sixteen-year-old son of Pte. H. Hitchin, now overseas, and Mrs. Hitchin, of 445 Obed Avenue, the Gorge. The boy was born in England and came to Victoria with his parents at an early age, receiving his education at the George Jay School. He was formerly a Times carrier, and at the time of his death he was employed as waiter on the ill-fated vessel. His father, Pte. Hitchin, left England with the 88th Battalion in May, 1916, and after continuous service with the 2nd C. M. R., is now lying in No. 1 Canadian General Hospital France, suffering from a general breakdown.

### WINS MILITARY CROSS.

New Westminster, Nov. 7.—Captain V. Chard Brimacombe, who was manager of the Port Haney branch of the Bank of Montreal when he volunteered for overseas service, has been awarded the Military Cross for his work at Amiens on August 8.

## INQUIRY HELD INTO GALIANO DISASTER

Senior Naval Officers Sitting  
on Board of Investigation  
at Esquimalt

Senior officers of the Navy are sitting as a court of inquiry at the Esquimalt Dockyard to-day to investigate the foundering of the Canadian naval patrol steamer Galiano which was lost with all hands on the night of October 30 while crossing Queen Charlotte Sound.

The investigation is being held in camera, but it is estimated that an official report of the finding will be made public at the conclusion of the inquiry.

No further bodies have been recovered from the Galiano. Last night a wireless message was received from the Ikeda Bay station stating that the steam whalers had discontinued the search. The Malaspina is due to get away from Esquimalt to take up the patrol off the Queen Charlotte, but owing to the general suspension of work in celebration of the reported signing of an armistice, the expected completion of repairs to the vessel may be delayed. The Malaspina is expected to sail from Esquimalt to-night for the West Coast.

## NINGCHOW TOUCHED AT WILLIAM HEAD

On Making Quarantine Blue  
Funnel Ship Got Orders to  
Proceed to Sound

Making her first appearance on the Coast in several years the Blue Funnel liner Ningchow arrived at William Head this morning with a full general cargo from the Orient.

Under the impression that Victoria was to be the first port of call the master of the Ningchow piloted his command into the bay at William Head. Orders were delivered to the ship to proceed to Puget Sound, and she accordingly cleared for Seattle via Port Townsend.

The Ningchow was formerly one of the regular fleet of Blue Funnel steamships operating between British Columbia and the Far East. She is of the same type as the Keemon and Oana, also formerly in this service.

With the development of the Blue Funnel trade on the Pacific, the older class of ships were replaced by some of the finest vessels of the fleet, such as the Proteus, the Ixion, and the Tyndareus, a vessel of even larger tonnage.

These fine vessels have been gradually withdrawn owing to the exigencies of war which has resulted in almost complete elimination of the service. The Ningchow was sent across the Pacific from the Orient in place of the Tyndareus.

### WAS CAPABLE OFFICER

Duncan Ross, who lost his life in the recent Sophia disaster, was acting second engineer and had made but two years on the ill-fated vessel before the one in which he came to such a tragic end. He had but recently arrived from Regina to join the service, and his widow, accompanied by her child and her mother, were awaiting his return to Vancouver before coming to this city to make their home.

The late Mr. Ross served his time in marine work with one of the largest companies on the Clyde in Scotland, qualifying for his second engineer's certificate on one of that company's boats. During one of his voyages to South America the captain and the majority of the engine room staff and crew were seized with a malignant fever, when he assumed full charge. On reaching port he was taken ashore suffering with the disease, much aggravated by the constant watches and responsible work. The directors of the company showed their approval of his ready initiative in a warm letter of approval accompanied by a substantial cheque.

### FORMER PURSER OF PRESIDENT NOW WITH U. S. NAVAL SERVICE

R. E. Wallace, formerly purser of the Pacific Steamship Company's coastwise steamship President, and well-known at this port, is now supply officer in the steamship Nerpus, one of the American naval colliers. He has been in the United States naval reserve since last January. After leaving the employ of the Pacific Steamship Company, Wallace went to Dawson where he was ticket agent for the White Pass & Yukon route.

### WAS ON LOST VESSEL



Photo Artists Studio.  
ABLE SEAMAN W. J. STAFFORD

## WHARF SHED WILL BE TEMPORARY MORGUE

Space Reserved at Belleville  
Street Terminal for Reception  
of Sophia Victims

Space has been reserved at the Belleville Street wharves for the disposal of the remains of the Victoria victims of the Princess Sophia disaster following the arrival of the steamship Princess Alice early next week.

It is officially announced that the bodies will be transferred from the wharf, placed in alphabetical order, and elevated from floor of wharf shed. The entrance to the C.P.R. shed will be policed in order to avoid confusion. Admission to the shed for the identification of bodies will be by permit only. Permits will only be issued to relatives or friends in the absence of relatives.

Identification, bodies will only be delivered to relatives, or those who have written authority from relatives, to take charge of or direct interment of bodies.

Relatives, or authorized parties in the absence of relatives, must give receipts for all bodies taken charge of, filling in the details called for by forms specially provided for the purpose.

The unidentified bodies will be kept as long as practicable, so that relatives and friends may have a reasonable opportunity to claim any bodies whose identity may in any way be disclosed after arrival in Victoria.

In case any bodies landed at Victoria should come to be shipped out of the city, the undertakers, the Sands Funeral-Furnishing Co. Ltd., will arrange for the coffin and the necessary papers, including all certificates, which must accompany the bodies when shipped.

## LLOYD'S SURVEYORS SAILING ON KASHIMA

Five Experts From the East  
Are Awaiting Departure of  
N. Y. K. Liner

Bound for the Far East, where they will be attached to various shipbuilding plants in Japan, a party of expert shipbuilders, all Lloyd's surveyors, will sail tomorrow aboard the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Kashima Maru.

The party comprises Alexander Watt, J. Crichton, B. Ewing, F. Archibald and R. Crawford. The quintette of Lloyd's surveyors, up to recently, have been stationed at shipbuilding plants in the Eastern States. Watt was surveyor at New York, while Crichton was formerly at Duluth and Crawford at Buffalo.

Awaiting the departure of the Kashima Maru here is C. E. Harvey, representative of Frank Waterhouse & Co., who is proceeding to Kobe, Japan, in connection with the development of the company's trade interests in the Far East. Mr. Harvey will be accompanied by his wife. They are already in the city.

The Kashima Maru will take out a full list of cabin passengers and a large number will board the vessel here following her arrival to-morrow afternoon from Seattle.

The big Japanese liner was originally posted to sail overseas November 6, but heavy freight shipments at Seattle delayed her departure two days. The liner Kamo Maru, after discharging 1,000 tons of cargo here, left at 3:30 o'clock this morning for Seattle.

### VICTIM OF DISASTER



Ephraim George Jeeves, second son of Mrs. George Jeeves, died yesterday. He was twenty-seven years of age, was born in Victoria, and is survived by a widow and two children. He was a member of Columbia Lodge, No. 2, I. O. O. F., and the Bricklayers' Union. The remains are now lying at the B. C. Funeral Chapel pending funeral arrangements.

Mrs. Elizabeth Boddy, wife of William Boddy, died yesterday at St. Joseph's Hospital. The funeral will take place at 3 o'clock on Saturday, November 9, from the B. C. Funeral Chapel, Rev. Robert Connell officiating.

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## B. C. COAST SERVICE

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Boat to Vancouver  
To-night, Thursday Nov. 7

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## VICTORIA NURSE IS DANGEROUSLY ILL

Nursing Sister Joanna Middleton Contracts Influenza; Two Years' Service Overseas

To-day's casualty lists contain the name of a Victoria girl who has done splendid nursing service overseas for the past two years—Nursing Sister Joanna F. Middleton—who according to a cable received by her parents on Sunday is lying dangerously ill with Spanish influenza at No. 14 Hospital, Wimereux, France.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Middleton of 1129 McClure Street, Nursing Sister Middleton was one of the most popular members of the profession in this city. She graduated from St. Joseph's Hospital in 1915, and shortly afterwards was attached to Work Point Hospital for military duties. Volunteering for overseas service she left Victoria in December, 1916, with two other nursing sisters for England, where for a long time she was on the staff at Moore Barracks. Later she was detailed for duty in France and has served at various casualty clearing stations recently at No. 2 Canadian Stationary Hospital at Boulogne where she has accomplished much splendid work.

Miss Middleton has six sisters in Victoria one of whom, Nurse Bessie Middleton, is now on the staff of St. Joseph's. A wide circle of acquaintances and medical professionals will join with her family in the hope that reassuring news of her condition will soon be forthcoming.

### OBITUARY RECORD

Elizabeth Thompson, the nineteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Thompson passed away at the family residence 1127 Bay Street this morning. She was born in Nebraska, and is survived by her parents, three sisters and three brothers here and one brother overseas. The remains are now lying at the Sands Funeral Chapel pending burial arrangements.

Robert Watson Murdoch, of 1277 Walnut Street, died yesterday morning at St. Joseph's Hospital, at the age of thirty-five. He was born in Glasgow, Scotland, and had resided in this city for the past eleven years. He is survived by his widow and an infant son, a brother in Vancouver and his father in Scotland. The funeral will take place at 2 o'clock on Saturday from the Sands Funeral Chapel.

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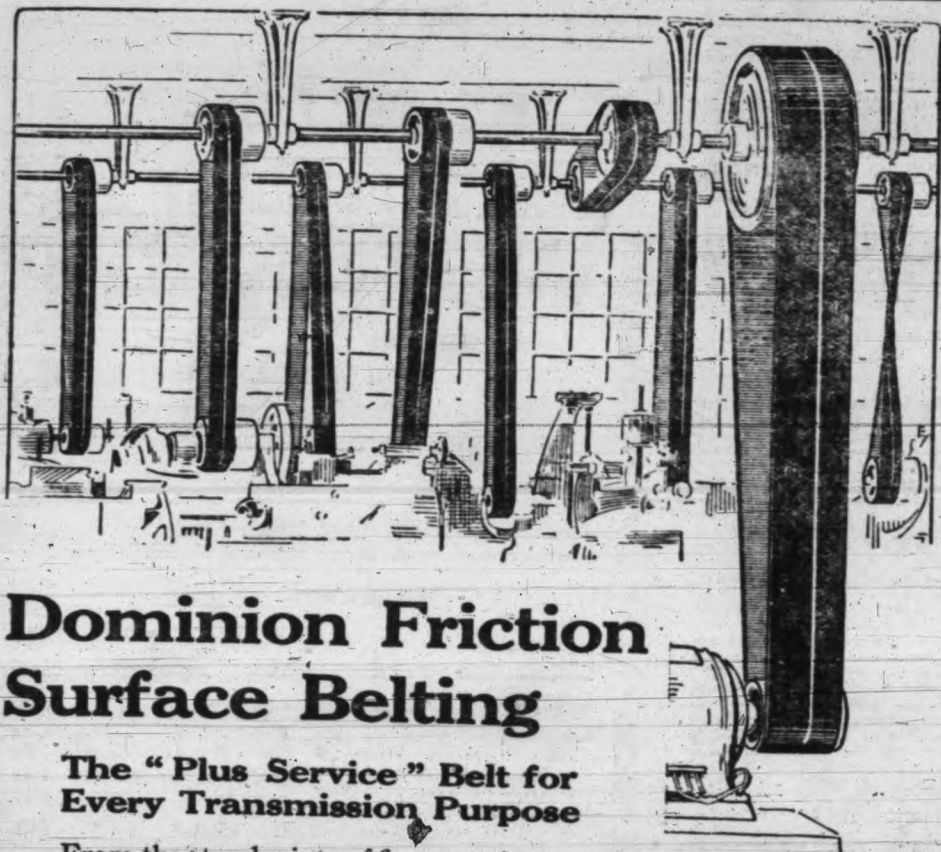
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How to Treat

Medical authorities state that nearly nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble, indigestion, sourness, burning, gas, bloating, nausea, etc., are due to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach, and not as some believe to a lack of digestive juices. The delicate stomach lining is irritated, digestion is delayed and food sour, causing the disagreeable symptoms which every stomach sufferer knows so well.

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## MORE THAN HALF BIG LEAGUERS IN SERVICE

Chicago, Nov. 7.—Fifty-five per cent. of the 264 players under contract or reservation to the eight clubs in the American League are in the army or naval service, according to figures made public here to-day. The total number is 144 and more than three-fourths of them are in the army.

The Detroit club leads with twenty-five players, while Boston and Philadelphia are second with twenty. Chicago and Cleveland have nineteen each while the New York and Washington clubs each have fourteen. St. Louis is at the bottom of the list with thirteen.

## JOHNSON'S INTRODUCER GOING OVER

Boston, Nov. 7.—Alec McLean, the famous promoter, manager of boxers and old-time bike rider, is ready to sail for France as a Knight of Columbus secretary. McLean, whose introduction of Jack Johnson to Australian fight crowds in 1902, paved the way for the negro's annexation of the world's heavyweight title, expects to be able to promote many bike races for the entertainment of the soldiers and sailors in Paris. McLean rode in races there many years ago.

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## LONDON TO HAVE SOME INTERNATIONAL FIGHTS

A big boxing tournament with an international tinge is to be held at the National Sporting Club, London, December 11, 12 and 13. It will be for boxers of all the Allied navies and they will compete for the king's trophy, which has been presented by King George to the club for competition. The British, French and United States navies, although the Italians also may be represented.

Admiral Sims, who is in European waters with the Yankee fleet, has sent word to the naval stations in the United States for the best entries of marines. It is likely that Joe Weiling, who is with one of the battleships in the East, will be nominated, and the San Pedro station in California probably will select a boy like Jack Malone for the welterweight class.

## WASHINGTON SOLDIERS STRONG ON ATHLETICS

Seattle, Nov. 7.—Football games and other athletic contests will be held every Saturday afternoon between the army and navy corps units of the Students' Army Training Corps at the University of Washington here. Mass athletics is the programme and it is the intention of Coach Claude J. Hitt and his assistants to see that every man gets into it.

## FRANK SWEENEY IS BETTER.

Frank Sweeney has got the best of his attack of Spanish influenza. The local sportsman had a severe bout and a hard tussle with pneumonia, but his many friends will be pleased to hear that he is around again, although still weak.

## SAILORS WIN EASY FROM RETAIL CLERKS

Call Several Stars to Aid, but Unable to Beat the Speedy Seamen

The men of the Lancaster proved their skill at the soccer game yesterday by their defeat over the Retail Clerks by a score of three goals to nil after the clerks had strengthened their side by the addition of several other picked players. The sailors were quick on the ball and hard shooters. Except for Townsend, the Frenchman's goal-keeper's clever work between the posts, a much bigger victory would have been recorded. He was bombarded repeatedly during the first half, and kept the ball clear of the nets until a few minutes before the interval. Guivin, for the sailors, registered the second goal with a stinging shot, which gave Townsend no chance. Irvine netted the third. Bloom played a good game for the clerks, and the soldiers were watching the game with interest in view of their game on Saturday with the sailors. The teams were as follows: H.M.S. Lancaster—Baker, Warrenner and Green; Bird, Dill and Dixon; Irvine, Guivin, Driscoll, Nicholas and Irvine. Retail Clerks United—Townsend; Gomm and Newman; Singlehurst, Payne and Jeffrey; Johnson, Stewart, McKinnon, Bloom and A. N. Other.

## WILLIE RITCHIE GOT IN BAD IN VICTORIA

Talks About Fighting, but is Still Safe Distance From Huns

There are many people in Victoria watching with great interest the movements of Willie Ritchie, the former lightweight champion, since he came here with a Camp Lewis soccer eleven last year. Willie was dressed in the uniform of a lieutenant at that occasion and the idol of the American boys when he was yet a novelty to Uncle Sam's sons. He is not a bad looking lad and fits into a uniform well, but after four years of war these are not the things that count with the Canadian public so much as an exhibition of the real goods.

First of all Willie got in bad through his over-enthusiastic boasting of the men he had brought across from over the line. Uncle Sam's uniform is always accorded a good reception on this side, and the men who have been over for swimming or other sporting events have gone back with a good impression which they proved to the extent of publishing it in their breezy little camp paper. Willie, however, nearly spoiled the whole work. He wasn't satisfied with encouraging his own men, but had to do so at the expense of the returned soldiers in Victoria who were playing against the fit men of Uncle Sam's army just preparing for the big fight. Incidentally the veterans were the winners, but Ritchie, who may or may not be an expert on the soccer game, did not approve of their system of playing.

Later in the day the little boxing stunt he had promised to put on was cancelled. It was raining too hard for the ex-champ to don the gloves, but the little Davie's kin came through with their share of the programme and incidentally collected a large sum for the Red Cross Society. The returned men thought how "cutsey" France would be if fighting were stopped for rain. Willie has been over a year in the army now. He nobly responded to his country's call for men at the outbreak of war, and he has been on the side of the Atlantic which the Hun long range guns will never reach. "Boxing," he says from his bomb-proof quarters, "is the finest thing in the world for soldiers. The physical value of boxing to get a man in fit condition is never disputed, but where is all Willie's knowledge of what is the finest thing in the world for soldiers coming from? From the descriptions that the men who come back the finest thing in the world for soldiers is a little practical experience of the real thing, and next to that some advice from a veteran who has been mixing it without the padded mitt and does not look for the applause of the public when he has taken a real part in a bigger fight than Ritchie with his big record has yet a hand in. A wire comes through from San Francisco, stating Willie Ritchie, boxing instructor at Camp Lewis, after a touch of influenza and a strenuous course of instruction at Camp Gordon, Ga., is in San Francisco on his way back to the Washington post, where he will again assume his duties.

Ritchie is making a short visit. He arrived yesterday, registered at the St. Francis and leaves to-night for the northwest. Just after he reached Georgia, Ritchie was laid up with a mild case of influenza. He had fever for one day, and though he showed improvement at once, the medics kept him in bed for ten days as a precautionary measure.

Later Willie took his course of instruction and passed his examinations with flying colors. He spent last night with friends down the highway and to-day will be in San Francisco for his goodbye. "The work at Camp Gordon was an eye-opener," he said. "It certainly will standardize the word of the boxing instructor, and is the finest thing in the world for the soldiers."

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## BASEBALL MEN ARE NOW TALKING "AFTER THE WAR"

San Francisco, Nov. 7.—If the war is over by Christmas, the Pacific Coast Baseball League will be ready for operation the first of April, but unless the Kaiser is speedily whipped, there will be no professional ball on the Coast next season. This is the view of J. C. Ewing, president of the Oakland Baseball Club, and generally regarded as the brains of the Coast League.

## DEMPSEY HANGS K. O. ON BATTLING LEVINSKY IN THE THIRD ROUND

Philadelphia, Nov. 6.—Jack Dempsey, the heavyweight, knocked out "Batling Levinsky" of New York here to-night in the third round of what was to have been a six-round bout.

Dempsey, who was the aggressor throughout, stopped Levinsky with a right hook to the jaw, which sent him down for the count. It was the first time Levinsky ever was knocked out.

In the first two rounds Dempsey followed his opponent all over the ring, and every time he landed blows, seemed to shake Levinsky from head to foot.

In the semi-windup Johnny Dundee, New York, lightweight, had the better of a six-round bout with Cussie Lewis, of Philadelphia.

## CONFIRMS REPORT OF CHAMPIONSHIP GALA

Impressed With Way P. N. A. Sports Were Carried Out Last Year

Official information of the announcement that the Pacific Northwest championship gala will be held here again was received to-day from T. Morris Dunne, the Secretary of the Pacific Northwest Association. The writer also states that there were several cities after the honor, but the way the event was carried out in Victoria last summer and the excellent way the lengthy programme was gone through has created a favorable impression among the swimmers, and is the reason of reports being again awarded to Victoria. In part the letter says:

"I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of recent date, and in reply will state that at the recent meeting we awarded the Pacific Northwest Association outdoor swimming championship to your club for 1919 as per your request."

"The prospective tour of the lady divers of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Association is as yet not an accomplished fact, so I cannot answer your questions regarding Miss Griffen, but I will bear your request in mind, and if there is any chance of the Portland ladies making the trip, I am sure they would be glad to have the company of Miss Griffen."

## JEW WOUNDED WAS A WHIRLWIND FIGHTER

In the recent casualty lists appears the name of Cpl. Albert Louis Block, who left Victoria with the 103rd Battalion in July, 1916, and since then has done two years fighting in France. Apart from Able Atell, there is little heard of Jewish boxers, but Block, who claimed that, before he joined the army, he had never put on a glove in his life, showed that the men of his race are not lacking in the qualities necessary when they once take to the game. He is built on the short muscular plan, and in the tests of strength, so popular among the soldiers, he set many a stunt which others unsuccessfully tried to emulate. When the men used to pass away the evenings in camp with friendly encounters Block agreed to join in.

The science of the noble art was something he was entirely unfamiliar with, and even as a spectator his knowledge of the game had been very limited until he donned khaki. He took to the fighting game like a duck to water. From the time he put on the gloves it was whirlwind battle, and although his opponent was a well-trained ring artist honors were fairly even. His success gave Block confidence, and from then on he was keen on the boxing game, and although he modified his rushing tactics to introduce a little more science he always kept up his aggressive whirlwind style of fighting. He also showed his fighting qualities by enlisting for the first draft for France leaving from his battalion, and has won promotion from the rank of private for his work in the front line.

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## IMPOVERISHED OLD FIGHTER FOUGHT 100 ROUNDS FOR PITTANCE

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 7.—Danny Needham, former welterweight champion in the early '90s, thought dead for several years, is in St. Paul and is being cared for by friends. Without funds, his mentality seems doubtful. In Minneapolis, on February 16, 1912, he fought Tommy Ryan for seventy-six rounds and finally was knocked out. He went 100 rounds with Patsy Kerrigan in San Francisco, and his share of the purse was what now would be considered a pittance.

## LACROSSE MAN LEAVES.

Fred A. Gosse, former secretary of the Victoria Amateur Lacrosse Association and one of the hardest workers among the junior stickhandlers in pre-war days, leaves for Toronto to-day, where he will undergo a course of training in the Royal Air Force.

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Little Prospect of Landing Ball; Some Remarkable Shots

Chicago, Nov. 7.—While every golfer knows that to make a hole in one stroke is a mere gamble, it has remained for a professional to demonstrate the law of chance in these cases to be substantially one in 20,000, the figures offered by Lloyds of London, who insure almost anything on the ratio established as likely to come about by mathematical calculation.

Robert Johnstone, professional at the Seattle Golf Club, recently made a hole in one for the second time in his thirty-four years on the links. The only other time that Johnstone ever made a hole in one stroke was at the old Presidio course in San Francisco in 1901, a year after he came from

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Black, \$4.50 and .....	\$5.75	Oilskin Hats .....	\$1.00

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Scotland. On that occasion he used an old gutta percha ball. Johnstone has been playing golf since he was ten years of age; so he had played about seventeen years before he obtained his one at the Presidio course and seventeen years elapsed between that one-shooter and the second.

Johnstone figures that he has averaged about eighteen holes a day year in and year out for seventeen years. At that rate he played in that time 3,576,150 strokes. But there was only an average of three holes to each round on the links he played where it was possible to make a hole in one, and this would mean that in seventeen years he would have played 15,515 short holes.

Probably the most remarkable hole in one was made by Ned Allis, of Milwaukee, a few years ago in the western amateur championship at the Flossmoor Club, Chicago. He holed his drive on the 160-yard old first hole, the ball having to carry over a deep

valley, ascend a hill and traverse a sloping green. The chances to repeat such a performance have not been figured out by Lloyds.

Among the proofs that luck and not skill allows a hole to be made in one stroke, no matter how short, is the fact that Harry Vardon, British professional, and Charles Evans, jun., American amateur and open champion, regarded as the most exact player with irons, have neither ever made a hole in one, although Vardon at least has played more than 20,000 short holes. Jerome Travers once saw Evans shoot a dozen balls in succession to a caddy and land them all so close to the same spot that the caddy did not have to move to pick them up, but a golf cup is only four and a half inches in diameter.

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NOTICE—Secretary of Machinists' Local No. 24 will be in K. of P. Hall first Thursday while the ban is on. n11-5

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# BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

**DIED.**  
KELLEY—On the 3rd inst., at St. Joseph's Hospital, Captain Cerezo Jones Kelley, aged 72 years, a native of Nova Scotia.

Funeral services from the Thomson Chapel Saturday, Nov. 9, at 2 o'clock, internment at Ross Bay Cemetery.

MURDOCH—On November 4, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Robert Watson Murdoch, aged 55 years; born in Glasgow, Scotland, and a resident of this city for the past eleven years, late residence, 1277 Walnut Street. Deceased leaves to mourn his loss, besides his widow, an infant son, in this city; one brother, John Murdoch, of Vancouver, and his father in Scotland.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, November 9, at 2 o'clock, from the Santa Paula Chapel. Internment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

THOMPSON—On the 7th inst., at her home, 1127 Bay Street, Elizabeth Thompson, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Thompson, aged 19 years. Deceased was born in Nebraska, and is survived by her parents, three sisters and three brothers, of this city, and one brother overseas.

Funeral arrangements announced later.

JEEVES—At the family residence, Blanshard Street, on the 6th inst., Ephraim George Jeeves, a native of Victoria, aged 37 years.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, Nov. 9, at 4 p. m., from the B. C. Funeral Chapel, the Rev. E. G. Miller officiating.

BODDY—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on the 5th inst., of Bright's disease, Ann Elizabeth, the beloved wife of Mr. William Boddy, aged 76 years.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, November 9, at 3 p. m., from the B. C. Funeral Chapel. No flowers, by request.

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# BOHEMIANS ORDER MEN MOBILIZED AGAINST GERMANY

Amsterdam, Nov. 6. (Via London, Nov. 7.)—All men liable for military service up to twenty-six years of age throughout Czechoslovakia have been called to the colors, according to a Prague dispatch to The West-End Zeitung, of Bremen. It is stated that this order includes German Bohemians.

Comments in the Czech press indicate that the mobilization is against Germany.

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# SENATE RETURNS IN U. S. INCOMPLETE

Not Known Yet How the Parties Stand Following the Election

Washington, Nov. 7.—Control of the United States Senate continued to remain in doubt early to-day on the face of returns from three states where contests between the Democratic and Republican candidates continued close as the count progressed. The Republicans further increased their majority in the House when two of the three seats from South Dakota were conceded to them. Three seats, one each in South Dakota, New Mexico and Montana, still remain in doubt.

The standing of the two parties in the next House, without the three-missed districts is: Republicans, 238; Democrats, 195—a Republican majority of 41.

In the Senate without the three doubtful seats there are 47 Republicans and 46 Democrats.

Of the Senate races yet to be decided, Truman H. Newberry, Republican, appeared to be maintaining his lead over Henry Ford, the Democratic candidate in Michigan.

Supporters of Senator Fall, of New Mexico, continue to claim his election on the basis of scattering returns. As these reports came from unofficial sources the contest continued to be placed in the doubtful column.

In Idaho Frank H. Gooding was making deep inroads into the majority credited to Senator Nugent, Democrat. Early to-day his lead was only 445 votes out of the state's estimate vote of 95,000 counted.

# WARM WORDS FOR BRITAIN UTTERED BY JAMES M. BECK

London, Nov. 7.—Britain was nobly great in the hour of disaster, but she is supremely great in the hour of victory, declared James M. Beck, of New York, a member of the Commission of the American Pilgrims, at a luncheon here given in his honor by the executive committee of the British Pilgrims in New York before a throng of 600 miles an hour.

Revolving at this terrific rate, the slightest imperfection in the wood from which the propellers are made would cause them to break, and cause them to fly to pieces.

For this reason only the best and hardest wood from the heart of the tree is used for propeller-blades. It takes 2,000 feet of timber in the round to furnish 200 feet of wood good enough for propellers.

Black walnut is the very best kind of wood for propeller-blades, for, besides being immensely tough, it does not splinter when hit by a projectile. Next, in the order named, come mahogany, white oak, ash, maple, birch and cherry—T.H.B.

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Painful back trouble indicates diseased kidneys. Don't neglect the first symptoms. When you can't stoop or bend without suffering pain—

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# ROBERTSON IS NEW LABOR MINISTER

Succeeds Crothers, Resigned; Hugh Clark and F. H. Keefer Under-Secretaries

Ottawa, Nov. 7.—It is officially announced that Hon. T. W. Crothers, Minister of Labor, who is now en route for California handed in his resignation to Sir Robert Borden, and that it has been accepted. Senator Gideon Robertson, who has represented labor in the Cabinet for some time past in addition to acting as chairman of the Canada Registration Board, has been appointed Minister in succession to Mr. Crothers, and has been sworn in.

Mr. Crothers resigned on grounds of ill-health.

Senator Robertson, the new Minister, has been closely in touch with the work of the Labor Department since entering the Government a year ago. Some of the more important labor disputes which he was successful in adjusting were those of the Nova Scotia miners last January and the C. P. R. maintenance-of-way men, involving 8,000 employees, last February.

He was sole arbitrator in the T. & N. O. Railway dispute in April last, and his efforts which resulted in the successful settlement of the Winnipeg civic strike will be remembered.

Senator Robertson also was largely instrumental in settling the strike in the shipbuilding yards on the West Coast and the settlement reached at that time has proven a most satisfactory one. He was the promoter in Canada of the adoption by Canadian railways of the McAdoo Award and its amendments, which is of such material benefit to railway employees throughout the Dominion.

Senator Robertson will be the second Minister with a portfolio holding a seat in the Senate, the other being Sir James Loughheed, who holds the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment.

**Under-Secretaries.**  
Two other appointments have been made. Colonel Hugh Clark, M. P. Parliamentary Under-Secretary for External Affairs, becomes Parliamentary Under-Secretary of the Department of Militia and Defence. F. H. Keefer, M. P. for Port Arthur and Kenora, has been appointed Parliamentary Under-Secretary for External Affairs.

The position of Parliamentary Under-Secretary of the Department of Militia and Defence has been vacant since the appointment of F. B. McCurdy, M. P. as Parliamentary Secretary of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment.

**VALUABLE CARGOES  
OF FISH WERE MOVED**  
Seattle, Nov. 7.—Nine million dollars' worth of canned salmon, salt or pickled salmon and salt herring was landed in Seattle by vessels of the Pacific Steamship Company from the latter part of June until November 1, according to officers of the company.

The shipments came from Alaska, both Southeastern and Southwestern Alaska and represent the greatest cargoes of their kind ever handled by vessels operated under the house flag of the Admiral Line.

The consignments, consisting of 1,367,000 cases of canned salmon valued at \$8,869,000; 31,000 barrels of salt herring and salt or pickled salmon valued at \$372,000; and 1,500 cases of salted or pickled salmon valued at \$37,500.

**Paper Offerings Heavy.**  
In an effort to move heavy offerings of print paper from Ocean Falls, B. C., the Pacific Steamship Company has dispatched the steamship Admiral Schley to that port from Seattle. The vessel will load 1,900 tons of the product of the Ocean Falls Mills for San Francisco, making the voyage with freight only. The Admiral Schley will return to her regular schedule sailing from San Francisco at 4 p. m. November 11.

The steamship Admiral Walnwright of the Pacific Steamship Company, which carried a cargo of general freight from San Francisco to Vancouver, is now in Ocean Falls loading 1,000 tons of paper for California. The cargo will be brought to Seattle by the Admiral Walnwright and transhipped in this port for the South.

The barge Acapulco, which the Pacific Steamship Company chartered from the Western Fuel Company, is loading a cargo of print paper in Ocean Falls for San Francisco. She will be towed down the Coast by the tug Tatoush.

**LOAN AT EDMONTON.**  
Edmonton, Nov. 7.—Victory Loan subscriptions Wednesday were \$39,050.

"In these days I see more beauty in a potato than in a pansy."—Sir Charles Wakefield.

**Have You Bought Victory Bonds—  
If Not, Why Not?**

# Complete Chaos in Austria as Hungry Troops Go Plundering

Berne, Nov. 7.—Complete chaos prevails in Austria, according to travellers returning here from that country. All railroad villages are flooded with the returning armies in full disorder. In villages, the demobilized troops, who are breadless, are plundering and requisitioning supplies.

# BIG CELEBRATIONS STARTED BY REPORT

Even Washington Rejoiced on Unfounded Report Armistice Signed

Washington, Nov. 7.—At 5 p. m. the Washington Government and the Allied Embassies were still without any information indicating that an armistice with Germany had been signed.

Washington, Nov. 7.—A statement from the State Department at 2:15 o'clock this afternoon that the Germans had not signed the Allies' armistice terms interrupted the allied enthusiastic demonstrations that had been in progress for two hours as a result of unconfirmed reports that the war was over.

Secretary Lansing authorized the announcement upon receipt of a message from Paris replying to an inquiry he had rushed over when the navy cable censors reported at 11 a. m. that an unofficial message had come through from Paris stating that the armistice had been signed at 11 a. m. French time, to become effective at 1 o'clock this afternoon. The reply said that the report was not true, that Marshal Foch would not receive the German envoys until 5 p. m. to-day, French time, or six hours after the time the armistice was reported signed.

"Officials had not accepted the report as true, but it spread over Washington like wildfire. Whistles began to blow and bells to ring, and great crowds thronged into the streets. There were demonstrations before the White House, and in all the Government Departments, in which they could be spared, the employees left."

President Wilson was at lunch when the report came. He went out on the veranda to see what was going on and set the crowd into an uproar by smiling and waving his napkin.

In the meantime the cables were busy to establish the truth. No word had come to any branch of the Government or to any of the Allied Embassies or War Missions and diplomats as well as members of the Government declined to believe that their channels of information had failed so signally.

Reports told of celebrations in other cities throughout the country, including Boston, Chicago, Pittsburgh, Columbus and Louisville.

**Statement by Lansing.**  
Washington, Nov. 7.—Secretary Lansing at 4 p. m. to-day made public the following statement:

"The report that an armistice with Germany had been signed is not true. When it reached the Department of State this morning an inquiry was at once dispatched to Paris. At 2:04 o'clock this afternoon a telegram in reply to that of the Department was received from Paris. It stated that the armistice had not yet been signed and that the German representatives would not meet, Marshal Foch until 5 p. m. Paris time, of 12 noon, Washington time. (9 a. m. Victoria time).

**New Westminster.**  
New Westminster, Nov. 7.—This city went crazy when the report was received that Germany had signed the Allies' armistice terms. The fire brigade turned out, whistles were blown and bells rung and people verged on delirium.

Rev. F. W. Kerr, city chairman of the Victory Loan organization, made a speech in front of the City Hall, followed by Ald. Johnston, Acting-Mayor, who declared a public holiday, and by Judge Howay. A big parade was arranged for the afternoon with the casualty unit in the lead, followed by the 55th Battery of the Siberian Force and soldiers from hospitals in automobiles. The town is dressed in bunting.

**North Vancouver.**  
North Vancouver, Nov. 7.—This city took a holiday to-day when the report came that an armistice had been signed.

Paris, Nov. 7.—4:25 p. m.—The Temps says that the German delegates "charged to conclude an armistice and to open negotiations" according to yesterday's official Berlin note, must have arrived at the front, and must soon present themselves at Marshal Foch's headquarters.

**DOMINION'S TOTAL  
SHOW SUBSTANTIAL  
INCREASE DURING DAY**  
Toronto, Nov. 7.—The summary of the Victory Loan subscriptions up to 11 a. m. this morning follows:

Toronto (outside Toronto) \$2,142,500  
Ontario (outside Toronto) 78,007,900  
British Columbia 12,175,950  
Alberta 7,544,850  
Saskatchewan 6,634,950  
Manitoba 16,405,300  
Montreal 38,207,950  
Quebec (outside Montreal) 10,324,250  
New Brunswick 5,537,100  
Nova Scotia 12,752,850  
Prince Edward Island 644,650

**INFLUENZA AT SASKATOON.**  
Saskatoon, Nov. 7.—A further decrease both in number of new cases and deaths shows that the influenza epidemic is at least under control in this city. More old cases were released from the hospitals yesterday than new ones were admitted. Four deaths were reported up to midnight, which is the lowest for many days.

**INFLUENZA AT REGINA.**  
Regina, Nov. 7.—With nine deaths Wednesday from influenza, the total now for Regina is 238.

# TELLS GERMANS THE TERMS THEY MUST AC- CEPT; MARSHAL FOCH



# HAIG'S MEN KEEP UP THEIR ADVANCE

Railways in Vicinity of Mons Destroyed by Enemy, Says Dispatch

With the British Army on the Franco-Belgian Front, Nov. 7.—Steady progress was maintained to-day by the British First, Third and Fourth Armies. The main body of the enemy apparently is continuing its retirement towards Mons, Maubeuge and Avesnes, while the comparatively weak forces which are assigned to the task of fighting a rearguard action were interposing such resistance as they could in an endeavor to delay the onward sweep of the Allies.

This morning the Germans were destroying the railways in the vicinity of Mons, indicating that they had withdrawn all the materials that time would allow, and have no intention of accepting battle along the present line.

# ORDER-IN-COUNCIL FOR BONUSES SIGNED

Ottawa Paper Says Some Civil Servants Will Receive \$350

Ottawa, Nov. 7.—The Governor-General has approved the Order-in-Council granting war bonuses to civil servants. An official statement outlining its provisions is now in course of preparation and will be published in all probability this evening.

Ottawa, Nov. 7.—The Ottawa Citizen in its noon edition to-day, definitely states that the bonus to civil servants will be confined to those receiving less than \$1,500 per annum. A certain amount will be set aside for each Department and the sum will be allocated by the departmental heads.

"Some will get nothing, and others will get \$100. Others again will go to a maximum of \$250, or in some exceptional cases, \$350."

The distinction which was applied in bonus payments between the east and the west is to be wiped out, according to The Citizen, and all will be treated on the same basis. This was one of the requests of the Civil Servants' Federation.

The bonus is designed to add in respect to the cost of living rather than being considered as a salary increase.

# Germans Are Told to Withdraw Troops From Polish Area

Amsterdam, Nov. 6.—London, Nov. 7.—A demand that the Germans withdraw their troops from Poland has been forwarded to Berlin by the new Polish National Government, according to The Rhenische Westphaalian Gazette, of Essen.

**CHOICE OF SPOT  
FOR NEGOTIATIONS**  
Paris, Nov. 7.—Diplomats here are interested in the choice of location for the peace negotiations. Some of them think the Carnegie Peace Palace at The Hague is convenient for the British, Belgians and Germans, and can be easily reached by land from Paris.

Other statesmen prefer a place in French or Italian Switzerland, such as Lausanne, Geneva or Lucerne. They are easy of access from France, Italy, Austria and Germany. Still others propose Brussels, as being gratifying to the Belgians who have suffered so greatly.

The Temps thinks that Rheims would be suitable, were it not too much to ask elderly men to camp in Y. M. C. A. huts. It suggests Versailles as, above all, best associated with the history of France, the place where was signed the treaty that ended the war of the American Revolution and which was really the cradle of the German Empire.

**A PRINCE RUPERT DEATH.**  
Prince Rupert, Nov. 7.—Herbert S. Woods, clerk in G. T. P. offices here, died this morning from influenza.

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# FINANCIAL NEWS

CHICAGO MARKETS.  
Nov. 7. Open High Low Last  
Nov. 121 122 123 120  
Dec. 121 122 123 122  
Oats—  
Jan. 70 70 68 70 70  
Nov. 72 72 72 72 72  
Dec. 70 71 68 70 70

**NEW YORK COTTON.**  
(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)  
Open High Low Last  
July 28.35 28.25 27.80 27.80  
Dec. 29.20 29.05 28.90 28.90  
Jan. 29.25 29.10 28.90 28.90  
March 28.90 28.90 28.90 28.90  
May 28.50 28.50 27.94 28.00

**NEW YORK STOCKS.**  
Nov. 7. Quotations on the Stock Exchange here to-day were as follows:  
High Low Last  
Allis-Chalmers 27 26 27  
Am. Beet Sugar 61 61 61  
Am. Sugar Ref. 113 112 113  
Am. Can. Co. 47 46 47  
Am. Car. Fdy. 85 84 84  
Am. Cotton Oil 41 41 41  
Am. Locomotive 65 64 64  
Am. Smelt. & Ref. 32 31 32  
Am. Steel 108 107 108  
Am. Steel Fy. 90 89 89  
Anaconda Mining 72 71 72  
Agr. Chemical 24 23 24  
Atchafalpa 103 102 103  
Atlantic Gulf 112 111 112  
Baldwin Loco. 81 80 81  
Baltimore & Ohio 59 58 59  
Bethlehem Steel 61 60 61  
Butte Sup. Mining 24 23 24  
Brooklyn Transit 42 41 42  
Canadian Pacific 171 167 170  
Central Leather 63 62 63  
Crucible Steel 54 53 54  
Chesapeake & Ohio 61 60 61  
Chic. R. I. & Pac. 32 31 32  
Colo. Fuel & Iron 41 40 41  
Cons. Gas 104 103 104  
Coca-Cola 42 41 42  
Cal. Petroleum 21 20 21  
Chile Copper 27 26 27  
Columbia Steel 48 47 48  
Copper Products 48 47 48  
Distillers Sec. 49 48 49  
Erie 21 20 21  
Do. 1st pref. 21 20 21  
Goodrich (B. F.) 24 23 24  
Gt. Nor. Ore. 32 31 32  
Granby 81 80 81  
Gt. Northern pref. 103 102 103  
Hide & Leather 81 80 81  
Inspiration Cop. 55 54 55  
Int'l Nickel 31 30 31  
Int'l Mer. Marine 30 29 30  
Do. pref. 30 29 30  
Hess. Central 125 124 125  
Kennecott Copper 40 39 40  
Kam. City Southern 21 20 21  
Lehigh Valley 62 61 62  
Lack. Steel 72 71 72  
Louisville 37 36 37  
Maxwell Motors 46 45 46  
Mex. Petroleum 172 171 172  
Missouri Pacific 24 23 24  
Missouri Pacific 24 23 24  
Mo. Kas. & Texas 6 5 6  
National Lead 66 65 66  
N. Y. N. H. & Hart. 42 41 42  
New York Central 82 81 82  
Norfolk & Western 103 102 103  
Northern Pacific 97 96 97  
Nevada Cons. Copper 20 19 20  
N. Y. Air Brake 102 101 102  
Pennsylvania R. R. 49 48 49  
People's Gas 60 59 60  
Reading 92 91 92  
Ray Cons. Mining 24 23 24  
Republic Steel 82 81 82  
Southern Pacific 109 108 109  
Southern Ry. 21 20 21  
Do. pref. 71 70 71  
Studebaker Corp. 72 71 72  
Sloss Sheffield 51 50 51  
The Texas Company 125 124 125  
Union Pacific 127 126 127  
Utah Copper 39 38 39  
U. S. Ind. Alcohol 101 100 101  
U. S. Rubber 74 73 74  
U. S. Steel 104 103 104  
Do. pref. 111 110 111  
Virginia Chem. 33 32 33  
Western Union 33 32 33  
Wisconsin Cent. 37 36 37  
Wabash R. R. Co. 39 38 39  
Wabash R. R. Co. 39 38 39  
Willy's Overland 27 26 27  
Westinghouse Elec. 45 44 45  
Amer. Su. Tob. 102 101 102  
Amer. Prod. 78 77 78  
Ohio Gas 47 46 47  
Amer. In. Cor. 38 37 38  
Sin. Oil 38 37 38  
Lib. Loan 99 98 99  
Lib. ts 97 96 97

# BOLSHEVIKI WERE WORKING IN GERMANY

Explanation of Why Berlin Broke Relations With Bolshevik Government

Copenhagen, Nov. 7.—The diplomatic break between Germany and the Russian Soviet Government which developed yesterday was foreshadowed by the Berlin newspapers a few days ago when they charged that the Russian Embassy in Berlin was the central point of distribution of seditious literature. They pointed out that more than 400 couriers had been employed by M. Joffe, the Russian Ambassador, during the short period he had been in Berlin.

The Ambassador Joffe denied the charges. But the "accidental" discovery of a package of inflammatory handbills in the luggage of a Bolshevik courier was held to demonstrate the falsity of M. Joffe's statement, and was promptly followed by the breach in diplomatic relations.

# COMMITTEE TOOK OVER AFFAIRS AT TRIESTE

Trieste, Nov. 6.—(Via Rome and London, Nov. 7.)—The rigid Austrian police control of this city was relaxed several days before occupation by the Italians on November 1, the Austrian provincial authorities were ordered to turn over their offices to the Committee of Public Safety, which they did peacefully. The Committee took charge of the post office, railways and munitions affairs generally.

The Austrian soldiers, realizing the Austrian army had been defeated on the Italian front, began leaving for their homes in various parts of the empire, demobilization having been commenced.

# AMERICANS DROVE AHEAD ON BOTH SIDES OF MEUSE

Washington, Nov. 7.—Important advances by the American First Army yesterday on both sides of the Meuse were reported to-day by General Pershing. Neither difficult ground nor two fresh enemy divisions delayed the river the German positions were taken only after bitter struggle.

# VIOLENT ATTACKS BY ALLIED FORCES ADMITTED BY BERLIN

Berlin, Nov. 7, via London.—"Between the Scheidt and the Oise Rivers the enemy forces, by violent attacks yesterday," says the official statement issued to-day by the War Office, "endeavored to hinder the methodical continuation of our movements commenced on November 4."

# BRITISH CASUALTIES REPORTED IN WEEK TOTAL 27,648 MEN

London, Nov. 7.—The British casualties reported during the week ending to-day: totalled 27,648, divided as follows: Killed or died of wounds—Officers, 359; men, 6,084. Wounded or missing—Officers, 922; men, 20,233.

# STOLEN MONEY IS RECOVERED IN TORONTO

Toronto, Nov. 7.—Covered over with leaves, a bag containing \$9,000 in bills was found by detectives yesterday in a yard at the rear of a house on Garden Avenue. With this the police have recovered all but \$150 of the \$20,000 stolen in the express hold-up on a railway train in the west end of the city on October 23.

# RIGHT OF WOMEN TO SIT IN BRITISH HOUSE



## VICTORIA OVERJOYED AT PROSPECT OF AN EARLY PEACE

Citizens Celebrate Unofficial  
Message With Cheers and  
Patriotic Songs

### CIVIC DEPARTMENTS JOIN IN JUBILATION

News of the reported signing of the armistice with Germany, though lacking confirmation this morning, spread with lightning rapidity through the community, and from 10 o'clock onwards little knots of people gathered in front of The Times building with an eager air of expectancy. The issuing of the "special" containing the news of the spreading revolution in the land of the Hun acted as a spark to the enthusiasm of the waiting crowd, and in an incredibly short space of time Broad Street was a seething mass of people. Staffs of business houses and stores cast off the dull cares of business, relegated the "flu" germ to the limbo of forgotten things, and joined the crowd, which was further swelled by a quota from the Legislative buildings, where all classes from Cabinet Ministers downwards threw aside for the nonce the worries of legislative business and joined in the general feeling of somewhat premature jubilation.

#### An Enthusiastic Crowd.

One of the first ebullitions of enthusiasm came from an elderly woman who had been reading the bulletin in The Times's windows. Suddenly her pent up feelings bubbled forth, and from some mysterious source she produced two large flags, the Canadian ensign and the Union Jack, and waved them over her head. With beaming smiles and little cries of inarticulate joy she passed among the waiting throng and waved her flags of victory. Quickly her example was followed until the flags were everywhere in evidence. Family parties came up reinforced with pennants and the blare

of trumpets, and the sound was taken up by motor car sirens and tooters, and to give the necessary martial background, the veterans on Bond-selling duties in the dugout fired a fusillade.

#### Mrs. Fahey Sings.

Suddenly above the excitement arose the sound of a cornet played by W. North, with the strains of "Rule Britannia," and then Mrs. Macdonald Fahey's clear soprano was heard in the time-honored refrain, the crowd joining in with voices filled with emotion. A standing automobile furnished the rostrum from which Major Wendell H. Shaw, a returned "original," called for three cheers for the Allies, and the "hip-hip-hooray" which rent the throat of the crowd, followed by an equally lusty tiger, would have been sufficient to remove the last vestige of hope from the Kaiser's breast, could he but have heard it. "The Marseillaise," by Mrs. Fahey, was quickly followed by "O Canada," "God Save the King," and "The Doolittle" and Major Shaw's invitation for three cheers for the Navy met with wholehearted response from full-throated soldiers and civilians, and evoked a reminiscent sparkle in the eyes of a veteran petty-officer in the forefront of the crowd.

Quick to seize such a favorable opportunity to appeal to the people in their first moment of rejoicing, R. W. Perry, of the Victory Bond Committee, made a rousing speech asking Victorians to go over the top with the Loan, in emulation of the splendid victories of the boys in the trenches. Ringing cheers greeted his remarks, and acted as a further stimulus to the general patriotic fervor. At this crucial moment, the first floor windows of David Spencer's store opened and rained forth a veritable sea of flags and pennants which were quickly seized by those in the crowd near enough to secure them and waved aloft in victorious defiance of the Arch-Fiend of Potsdam and his satellites.

#### At the Dugout.

Martials airs played by the Fifth Regiment Band acted as a magnet in the region of the dugout on the corner of Government Street and Port Streets and drew the excited crowds, which by this time was in the throes of joyful jubilation. On every side congratulations flew from lip to lip, while many were too stirred to give articulation to their deeper feelings. Here and there the sight of a tear-dimmed eye showed where the feeling of pleasure at the news was tempered by memories of a loved one who had given his all in the now triumphant cause. But the predominant emotion was a feeling of thankfulness that the end of the struggle was at hand—and to the man in the street, such was the significance of the news. Useless to tell him that the rejoicing was premature. As one



man said, "Well, it's assured, and we may just as well begin to celebrate now."

The business section of the city is draped with flags and bunting. From every flag-staff waves a Union Jack and from every possible vantage point an emblem floats in the breeze. A general holiday air prevails on the streets and business is practically at a standstill, and everywhere one realizes that the Britisher has shed his veneer of reserve and seeks an outlet for his long pent-up emotions.

#### City Officials Join.

All departments of the civic administration, in common with every other institution in the city, walked out this morning as soon as news of the cessation of hostilities was announced. Cheers were heard throughout the corridors and offices of the City Hall, and the entire staff was wild with enthusiasm.

Flags and bunting were thrown to riddles and offices of the City Hall, and resounded with the clanging of the big bell. "Is it true? Is it true?" was the excited cry that was heard on every hand.

Every man, woman and child in the city engaged in doing anything imme-

diately stopped doing it. Small boys, big boys and innumerable daddies, whose thoughts immediately flew to the celebration of their offspring would expect to hold, flew to the Chinese vendors where whole armfuls of fire-crackers, bombs, sky rockets and any old thing that would make a noise were purchased.

#### Run on Fireworks.

One of the biggest runs on fireworks of all descriptions ever known in the history of the city took place before noon and stocks were soon depleted. Flags were at a premium and local stores were simply packed with the eager purchasers anxious to decorate their person and their homes with the national emblem.

The telephone service made a noble effort to keep up, but the situation soon proved too much for the staff, which was simply overwhelmed, and for some time it was an utter impossibility to get service connections. Such a deluge of inquiries descended on the newspaper offices that in order to keep copy going it was necessary to disconnect instruments.

#### All Take Holiday.

Mayor Todd announced that he had no legal right to declare a holiday, but there was no holding the staff, and by mutual consent everybody, including the Mayor, left the building. Offices and homes were crowded with their inmates, and the entire populace flocked into the streets.

#### At Military Headquarters.

Worked ceased by mutual agreement at the Military Headquarters. Both the officers and men employed were so elated with the news in the early part of the morning that business as usual was an impossibility. They gathered together in small bunches excitedly discussing the situation, and debating whether the fighting had actually ceased. Their exuberance soon made it necessary to send a courier of ordinary duties, and they joined the rest of the celebrating crowd in the streets, and eagerly watched the bulletins for the official notification. At the Military Convalescent Hospital the men were granted leave, and their evening leave was also extended to 11 o'clock.

#### In Esquimalt.

Celebrations began in Esquimalt soon after the news was received. Flags were out in many places, and in one instance on Esquimalt Road a long broom was acting as a flagstaff indicating a clear sweep of the enemy. Streams of men on wheels and in autos from the yards indicated that they were quitting work. Tin platters were beaten at the doors, and the children were on fences waving flags of the Allies.

### SENDS FORWARD MESSAGES TO-DAY

#### Premier Oliver Congratulates War Leaders on Termin- ation of Hostilities

When the Chief Usher at the Parliament Buildings inquired of the Premier with all seriousness this morning as to whether the ringing of the call bells in the corridors disturbed him, Mr. Oliver said: "No, let 'em all ring," and waved his way to the Telegraph office with the messages quoted in full hereunder:

"Upon confirmation of peace report respectfully suggest you set a day for National Thanksgiving."

#### The British Prime Minister.

To the Right Honorable David Lloyd George, Prime Minister, Westminster:

"People of British Columbia rejoice with Empire and Allies at prospect of speedy and permanent peace. Are more grateful and loyal to great Mother Country than ever."

#### To Canadians' Commander.

To Lieut.-Gen. Sir Arthur Currie, K. C. B., K. C. M. G., Commander of the Canadian Corps, France:

"People of British Columbia tremble with joy at prospect of termination of long-drawn struggle for freedom and permanent peace. News hailed here with unrestrained gratitude and delight. Accept from Government and people of Province and transmit to our gallant Canadian men who have so signally distinguished themselves in long succession of fearful battles, our sincere thanks and praise."

#### To Sir Robert.

"People of British Columbia rejoice and give thanks at prospect of speedy and permanent peace. We join with people of Canada, the glorious Empire and faithful Allies, in gratitude and praise to Canada's gallant men who sustained so nobly their part in protracted war drawn to so happy termination."

### SAANICH AND INFLUENZA

Councillor Advocate Quarantine on Same Lines as for Smallpox.

There is little change in the Spanish influenza situation at Saanich today, very few cases being reported.

Chief Dryden, who has taken an active part in planning organizations to relieve the families of those affected by the epidemic is now himself a victim of the disease.

At the Council meeting on Tuesday afternoon was shown in the way Reeve Borden, Health Officer Dr. Vye and the Victorian Order of Nurses are handling the situation during the past two weeks by a decision to carry on in the same manner, and a tribute was also paid to the work of Chief Dryden.

A suggestion was made that the people of the district should be supplied with a list of remedies to combat the complaint.

It was stated by Chief Dryden that both patients and the doctors were at fault in registering the cases. The doctors failed to notify the Saanich Health Officer, and people suffering from influenza also took no steps to notify the officer.

Councillor Henderson advocated quarantine measures on the same lines as isolation for smallpox, and considered such means would be necessary before the epidemic could be properly controlled.

Ladies of Tillamook Women's Institute, and the Girl Allies of the district are joining with the Victorian Order in helping those down with the complaint.

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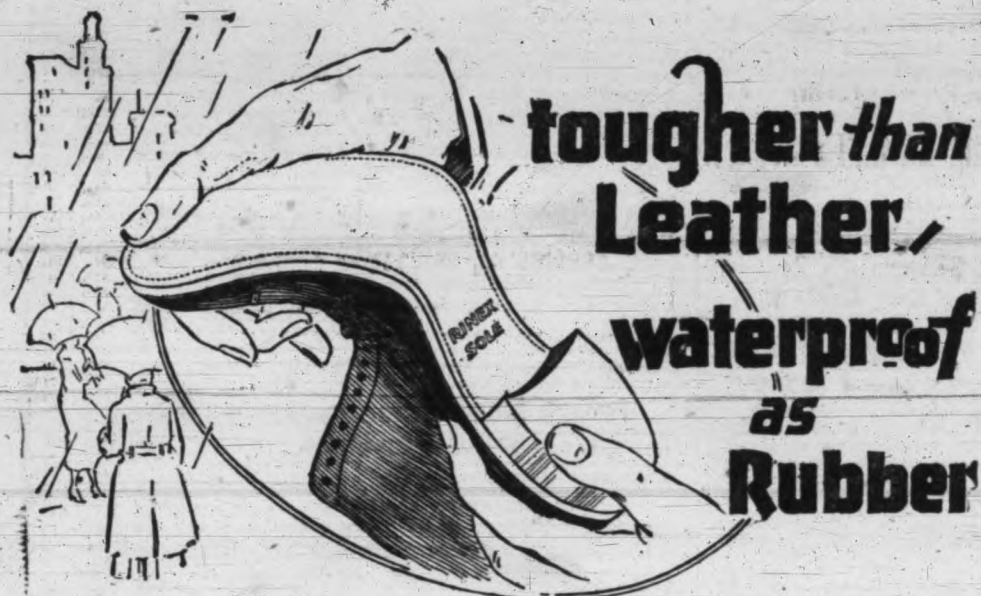
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## ISLAND RALLIES TO LOAN; NEW GROUND IS BROKEN TO-DAY

### Local Canvassers Swoop Down Upon Country to North

### COBBLE HILL ISSUES CHALLENGE TO CITY

With five centres already qualified for honor flags, and a number of crowns won as well, reports of further success from up the Island are pouring into the Victory Loan Headquarters here. Cobble Hill, having reached and passed its objective, now dares Victoria to a competition on a per capita basis and, needless to say, the challenge has been accepted. While the outlying points are contributing their utmost to victory, the local canvassers are invading new districts and gathering in more dollars. A vigorous drive into the district north of the city was launched this morning.

#### Over Half-Way Mark.

Half of the loan campaign is now over, and the up-island points, under the supervision of G. H. Dawson, have reached a rung half-way up the bond ladder. Many of the official returns have not yet been received here, but the following results were telephoned into Mr. Dawson last night:

Shawnigan	9,000
Cobble Hill	12,550
Duncan	129,650
Chemalunus	33,550
Ladysmith	36,150
Nanaimo	120,000
Parksville, Qualicum, Central	8,000
Nanose	16,000
Union Bay	8,000
Courtenay	32,000
Cumberland	66,600
Alberni	14,900
West Coast	2,250
Cassidy	22,500
Total	\$520,650

#### Achievement of Nanose.

In going over the top yesterday Nanose was greatly aided by the subscription of the Giant Powder Works at Nanose Bay, where the workers responded generously to the call. The company started the list with a subscription of \$5,000, which is in addition to \$15,000 already invested through the office of the company in Nanose. The workers, too, more than trebled their investments of last year.

The difficulties of the canvass in the up-island districts is increased by the prevalence, in several of the most important centres, of influenza. For instance, full returns from Ladysmith are much delayed by the fact that, according to reports reaching headquarters, the mails are held for twenty-four hours in order that they may be fumigated.

#### Cobble Hill's Challenge.

The challenge which Cobble Hill has issued is a reflection of the aggressive spirit which pushed that centre more than half way again past its original objective. On a per capita basis Victoria will have a hard time to win the contest, but even in the event of defeat the spirit of competition imbued into the campaign cannot but have extremely valuable results upon the course of the drive.

In the meantime the Victoria workers have not been idle.

#### Invade Country.

After spending yesterday cleaning up

the city and attending to a few of the difficulties which arose during the first lap of the drive, the bond sellers, to-day invaded the district to the north of the city as far as Sidney en masse. Only about half a dozen salesmen worked in Victoria, and the rest under Kenneth Ferguson himself swooped down upon the country, gathering in bonds wherever they stopped.

The whole country, by the operations of this large corps, will be minutely covered, and a large quantity of idle dollars, it is expected, will be brought to town late to-night, when the expedition returns.

The whole country has been mapped out, and not a solitary farm will be left untouched by the canvass. This being virgin soil should yield a rich golden harvest, and the ground will be well churned up before the bondsalemen start for home to-night. The motor cars, after leaving the city far behind, will spread out in the form of a fan, in this way covering the whole country, and touching such points as Sidney.

To-morrow will see a return of the canvassers to their work in the city, and full plans for a fresh start were made at a meeting of the team capitalists yesterday. A whirlwind finish, which will take in every house in the city, will occupy the last week of the drive.

#### Big Attack Saturday.

On Saturday the city will be assailed

with an attack which should break down whatever barriers may be left. Fifty of the best bond salesmen will be turned loose and will sell bonds on the street corners. No one will be immune, for the officials are determined to finish up the second week of the drive with a rush. No demonstration will be held, however, on account of the health regulations. A band will parade the streets, and it is expected that the good news will help to make Victoria put on a gala appearance.

#### SUGGESTED REMEDY.

A lighterman from a river craft was leaning over a bar counter in the neighborhood of Wapping voicing his opinion of the war. He seemed to be a chronic pessimist, and the crowd was tired of him.

"It's awful," he said. "This 'ere bloodshed day after day—'Tis a man dies." "Think of it now, every time I breathe a man dies."

"Fancy that now," said a sarcastic bystander. "Have you ever tried clothes?"—Tit-Bits.

A particularly dapper but very small officer was walking down a street one day between two fashionably attired ladies, and happened to pass by two street arabs, who looked at them with a broad grin, and, much to the discomfort of the officer, one of them said:

"Ain't much 'am in that sandwich is there, BHI?"



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## NOTICE

### Military Service Act, 1917.

#### EMPLOYMENT OF MEN IN DEFAULT UNDER THE MILITARY SERVICE ACT.

The following Regulations, recently approved by the Governor General in Council, impose strict obligations upon every employer TO ASSURE HIMSELF THAT EACH OF HIS EMPLOYEES OF MILITARY AGE AND DESCRIPTION IS IN POSSESSION OF DOCUMENTS PROVING THAT HE IS NOT IN ANY WAY IN DEFAULT UNDER THE MILITARY SERVICE ACT.

An employer who is charged with having a defaulter in his employ must be able to prove THAT THE MILITARY SERVICE PAPERS ISSUED BY THE REGISTRAR OR MILITARY AUTHORITIES TO THE EMPLOYEE IN QUESTION WERE PRODUCED FOR HIS INSPECTION at the time when the employee was taken into his employment, and that it was reasonably established to his satisfaction that the man was not in default under the Military Service Act. It should be clearly understood that the Canadian Registration Certificates given on June 22, 1918, at the time of general registration, in no way define the status of a man under the Military Service Act.

#### REGULATIONS.

"106. Every person who employs or retains in his service any man who has deserted or is absent without leave from the Canadian Expeditionary Force, or who is in default in the performance of any obligation or requirement for reporting or for military service, imposed upon him by the Act or Regulations, or any proclamation thereunder, shall be guilty of an offence punishable on summary conviction by imprisonment not exceeding six months, or by a penalty of not less than One Hundred Dollars, and of not more than Five Hundred Dollars, or by both such imprisonment and fine, unless such person prove that he made due inquiry and that THE MILITARY SERVICE PAPERS ISSUED BY THE REGISTRAR OR THE MILITARY AUTHORITIES TO THE MAN SO EMPLOYED OR RETAINED IN HIS SERVICE WERE PRODUCED FOR HIS INSPECTION, and that it was reasonably established to his satisfaction by such inquiry and papers that the man was not a deserter or absent from the force without leave, or in default in respect of any of the obligations or requirements aforesaid."

MILITARY SERVICE BRANCH.

## INFLUENZA PLAGUE HITS MEMBERS OF PROFESSION BADLY

Two Hundred and Fifty-Five Doctors Succumb in United States

"It is a wise doctor who knows his own danger," is the heading over the first article under the general title of Current Comment in the November issue of The Journal of the American Medical Association, which has just reached the offices of the Provincial Board of Health at the Parliament Buildings. It starts out to relate the number of medical men who have succumbed to the ravages of Spanish influenza in the United States. While the newspapers of the country have appeared with their daily list of patients, very little mention has been made of the toll of human life among the ministering medical profession and the figures speak for themselves. The article in question reads as follows:

**Doctors Dead, 255.**  
"Last week the deaths of eight-one physicians were recorded in The Journal, occupying three pages. This week the deaths of 174 physicians are recorded, occupying five pages. The total number of deaths recorded in these two issues is 255, and of these 154 are definitely known to have been due to influenza or pneumonia; undoubtedly in the majority of instances in which the cause is not given, it was influenza. These obituaries are records of sacrifice to duty. A layman may, if he desires, keep from exposing himself to any infection; but the physician must go when called without thought of consequences to himself. However, as one who considers the list one wonders whether or not some of these deaths might have been prevented by adopting some of the simple precautionary methods that have been suggested, such as the wearing of the face mask.

**Specific Case.**  
"This thought arose," the story continues, "when we received a letter from a physician who, in sending in the names of two physicians who had died, said: 'Dr. A. visited at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station on old patient who had influenza. Two days after his return home, Dr. A. came down with the disease. Dr. B. was called to see Dr. A. and examined his throat. Dr. A. coughing in his face. Two days later Dr. B. had the typical manifestations of the disease.' It is proverbial that physicians, like preachers, give advice which they themselves do not consistently follow. It is a wise doctor who knows his own danger."

**Is It Any Good Alone?**  
During the month of October the greater part of forty-five thousand dollars' worth of business at the two British Columbia Liquor Stores was occasioned by medical prescription for the use of alcohol as an antidote to Spanish influenza. Opinions differ as to whether alcohol is either a preventive or a cure. That there are many members of the medical profession in the Province who incline in its favor is substantiated by the number of "alcoholic prescriptions" given, while the general public appear to consider the opportunity of snatching once more on John Barleycorn as a blessing of the first magnitude. The Journal of the Medical Association of America says there is no specific cure for influenza yet known; it is silent, however, on the use of alcoholic liquids as a combative element in its "neat" form. The Journal's comment is as follows:

**No Cure Known.**  
"The present epidemic, as was to be expected, has given rise to the publication in the newspapers of all kinds of 'sure cures.' Their number is legion, and they vary in character from those with a semi-scientific basis to others with no basis whatever. Some could be classed under the term 'ridiculous.' Many persons recommend certain methods of treatment from purely altruistic motives, others for financial gain. Almost all of the proponents of alleged specific methods are bombastically enthusiastic. Hyper-enthusiasm applied to moral or esthetic ideals is a praiseworthy emotion, but as related to medical science is usually a delusion and a snare. The research worker should view his results with a cold, dispassionate conservatism, before considering publication with resultant harm to himself and the public. Many of the alleged cures and remedies now being recommended probably will do more harm than good. The United States Public Health Service, having been besieged with inquiries regarding this and that method of treatment, has issued a special bulletin in which it is emphasized that there is no specific cure for influenza yet known, and that the chief reliance must be placed on good hygiene, good nursing and symptomatic treatment."

#### POSTAGE TO SIBERIA

Details for Letters and Parcels for Members of Expeditionary Force in Siberia.

Postmaster Bishop makes the following statement with regard to mail for Canadian troops in Siberia: "Letters, parcels and other mail matter should be fully addressed, and the words, 'Canadian Expeditionary Forces in Siberia' should form part of the address."

**Rates of postage.** Letters: Two cents for each ounce or fraction thereof, with one cent additional as war tax on each letter. The sender's name and address should be shown on letters in order that they may be returned if undeliverable.

**Newspapers.** One cent for each two ounces or fraction thereof.

**Parcels.** Twelve cents for each pound or fraction of a pound. Limit of weight seven pounds.

It is necessary that all parcels should be carefully and securely packed, and it is recommended that an outer cover of linen, calico, or canvas should be used and securely sewn up. The address should be written in bold letters on the cover in ink or indelible pencil and not on a label whether tied or pasted on.

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**Stripe Flannelette.**—A strong weave flannelette, pure finish, in a variety of small stripes, light and dark grounds, suitable for children's wear. 25 inches wide. **20c**

**Stripe Flannelette.**—Soft finish, dainty stripes, suitable for shirts and pyjamas. 30 in. wide. **25c**

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**Huckaback Towels,** hemmed ends; size 17 x 35. Each **35c**  
**Huckaback Towels,** hemmed ends, heavy quality; size 20 x 39. Each **50c**  
**Huckaback Towels,** fine quality, hemstitched ends; size 20 x 38. Each **60c**  
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**Large Animal Shaped Stole of Black Wolf,** lined satin. Price **\$25.00**

**Black Wolf Cape,** finished with head and claws; lined satin. Price **\$25.00**

**Siberian Wolf Stole,** animal shape, lined with satin. Priced at **\$49.50**

**Natural Wolf Stole,** snake style, finished with head and tails. Price **\$10.00**

**Natural Wolf Stole,** animal shape, finished with head, tail and claws. Price **\$17.50**

**Jap. Fox Stole,** snake style, finished with head and tail; satin lined. Price **\$19.50**

**Black China Dog Stole,** animal shape, with head, tail and claws; lined satin. Priced at **\$9.50**

**Black Wolf Stole,** snake style, with head and tail; poplin lined. Price **\$6.50**

**Black China Dog Muff,** in melon shape. Price **\$8.00**

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**Black Wolf Muff,** in melon shape, finished with head, tail and claws. Price **\$11.50**

**Black Wolf Muff,** in melon shape with head and tails; satin lined. Price **\$17.50**

**Natural Wolf Muff** in melon shape, with head and tails; poplin lined. Price **\$10.00**

**Large Natural Wolf Muff** in melon shape, with head, tail and claws. Price **\$15.00**

**Raccoon Muff,** melon shape; satin lined. Price **\$25.00**



**Natural Wolf Muff,** melon shape, lined with silk poplin. Priced at **\$19.50**

**Civet Cat Muff,** melon shape, satin lined. Price **\$25.00**

**Jap. Fox Muff,** in animal shape, lined crepe de chine. Priced at **\$32.50**

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